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ACALYPHA SANDERI.

A Wonderful Novelty that Everyone Will Want.

Every catalogue will probably contain this plant this spring with glowing description, as great effort is being made to sell the plants at high prices, perhaps double my price.

The spikes are 18 to 25 inches long, $\frac{1}{4}$ inch thick, of deep crimson scarlet, contrasting finely with the bright leaves. A very beautiful and striking curiosity. An unsurpassed everblooming decorative plant.

Price, Plants Showing Bloom, 50c. each, postpaid.

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WHY NOT BUY YOUR FLOWERS OF A WOMAN?

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THESE PRICES ARE BY MAIL—POSTAGE PAID

You can send postage stamps (1-cent preferred) or money in registered letter.
My list contains only kinds that are easily grown and most sure to bloom.

ADDRESS ALL ORDERS AND COMMUNICATIONS TO

PHEBE J. MARSHALL,

HIBERNIA, DUTCHESS COUNTY, NEW YORK.



AMARYLLIS REGINA (Queen Lily).

Amaryllis Regina

(QUEEN LILY).

This is a most magnificent variety, very bold and distinct. The flowers open full and beautiful. The color is a soft rich pink, with a large white throat. This variety blooms easily and very quickly after setting outside, or potting for winter blooming. It does equally well as a summer or winter bloomer.

Fine, large blooming Bulbs, 15c. each, 2 for 25c.

Amaryllis Johnsoni.

No Amaryllis is better known, none more sought after than this beautiful variety. Deep scarlet with white stripes. Strong Bulbs, 25c. each.

AMARYLLIS VITTATA.

Another grand variety of which the named kinds often sell for \$5.00 each. These are seedlings, and some are very fine and when named sell for \$1.00 or \$2.00 each. Flowers red, flamed and splashed with white. Bulbs 25c. each.

MEXICAN LILY.

A most dazzling scarlet color, very odd and unique, a remarkable flower. Bulbs will keep two years out of soil. Will bloom at once, planted and potted, or in water. Large

AMARYLLIS VITTATA

Bulbs 15c. each. 3 for 30c.



MEXICAN LILY (Am. Formosissima).

One each of the four Amaryllises on this page for 70 cents,



Excelsior Gloxinia Bulbs 5 cents.



Large-flowering Begonia Bulbs 5 cts.



Double-Flowering Begonia Bulbs 8c.

Excelsior Gloxinia Bulbs

This rich, exotic Beauty makes most magnificent Pot Plants for Summer. The Bulbs grow easy and flower profusely and quickly.

Full directions for growing Bulbs and Seeds.

"JADOO" is the best material on earth to grow Gloxinia or Begonia Bulbs or Seeds in. 10 cents' worth is enough to plant 10 bulbs and 2 packets of seed.

With every order for 50 cents' worth of Bulbs or Seed, I will send free enough "Jadoo" to plant them.

GLOXINIA BULBS, EXCELSIOR STRAIN

All colors, such as Pure White, Blood Red, Indigo, Pink, Scarlet-white throat, &c.

LARGE BLOOMING BULBS 5 cts. each, 5 for 25 cts., 25 Bulbs for \$1.00.

GLOXINIA BULBS, COLORS SEPARATE

Gloxinia DEFIANCE—Bright scarlet, 7c., 4 for 25c.

" ALBA GRANDIFLORA—Pure white, 7c., 4 for 25c.

" INDIGO BLUE—Lovely blue, 7c., 4 for 25c.

" ROSEA—Beautiful rose, 7 cts., 4 for 25 cts.

" PINK—A charming shade, 7 cts., 4 for 25 cts.

One each of the 5 kinds, 30 cents.

GLOXINIA SEED PACKET—50 seeds, all colors, 10c.

Large-Flowering Begonia Bulbs

These Bulbs bloom in pots in the house Summer and Winter. Planted outside, they are smothered with bloom all Summer and Fall. Flowers 4 inches and more across.

BEGONIA BULBS, LARGE-FLOWERING, MIXED

Include Crimsons, Yellows, White, Pink, Rose, and Blotched.

LARGE BLOOMING BULBS, all colors, mixed, 5 cts. each, 5 for 25 cts., 25 Bulbs for \$1.00.

Begonia BULBS—White, 6c., 5 for 25c., 100 Bulbs \$5.00

" BULBS—Yellow, 6c., 5 for 25c., 100 Bulbs \$5.00

" BULBS—Scarlet, 6c., 5 for 25c., 100 Bulbs \$5.00

" BULBS—Rose, 6 cts., 5 for 25 cts., 100 Bulbs \$5.00

" BULBS—Pink, 6 cts., 5 for 25 cts., 100 Bulbs \$5.00

One each of the 5 kinds, 25 cents.

BEGONIA SEED PACKET—50 seeds, all kinds, 10c.

Double-Flowered Begonia Bulbs

Until recently Double Begonia Bulbs have been scarce and high. I take much pride and pleasure in being able to sell you these Bulbs less than the usual wholesale price. Bulbs are large and fine—Yellow, Scarlet, Rose and White. The flowers are massive and magnificent. For exhibition plants they are unsurpassed.

BEGONIA BULBS, DOUBLE-LARGE-FLOWERING

LARGE BLOOMING BULBS, all colors, mixed, 8 cts. each, 3 for 20 cents, 8 for 50 cents, 100 for \$6.00.

Begonia BULBS—Double yellow, 10 cts., 3 for 25 cts.

" BULBS—Double white, 10 cents, 3 for 25 cents.

" BULBS—Double scarlet, 10 cts., 3 for 25 cts.

" BULBS—Double rose, 10 cents, 3 for 25 cents.

" BULBS—Double pink, 10 cents, 3 for 25 cents.

One each of the 5 kinds, 35 cents.

DOUBLE BEGONIA SEED PACKET—40 seeds, all colors, 15 cents,

LILIES.

These five kinds I offer are the very best for easy growth and to bear plenty of flowers. All are hardy outside.

AURATUM. This Golden Banded Lily of Japan is considered by most people to be the most showy of any. Flowers large and very strongly sweet scented. 15c. each, 2 for 25c., 5 for 50c.

EASTER LILY. Best known and greatest favorite of all lilies. Perfectly hardy with slight protection over winter. Best for house or church decoration. 10c. each, 3 for 25c.

WHITE JAPAN LILY (L. Album).

This is also a great favorite, a well-known variety and is very hardy. 15c. each, 2 for 25c.

RED JAPAN LILY (L. Rubrum).

Same as the white kind, only the flowers are deep rosy-pink. 15c. each, 2 for 25c.

DOUBLE TIGER. A great garden favorite. 10c. each,

3 for 25c.

The 5 kinds for 50c.



L. Auratum.



Easter Lily.

HYACINTHUS

CANDICANS.

This bulb is very hardy, grows easy and throws up a Yucca like spike 4 to 5 feet high clothed with drooping white flower bells. 2 for 6c., 4 for 10c., 7 for 15c., 10 for 20c.



Red Japan.



Fancy Caladiums.

FANCY CALADIUMS.

Nothing can equal these in brilliancy of foliage. To say that there are over 400 combinations of colors is sufficient—all colors, except blue, being represented. Leaves often 18 inches in size! Bulbs 12c., 3 for 30c.



TIGRIDIAS.

Very beautiful and odd.

Grandiflora. Large scarlet. 4c. each, 3 for 10c.

Alba. Pure white. 4c. each, 3 for 10c.

Conchiflora. Yellow. 4c. each, 3 for 10c.

Lilacea. New. 5c. each, 3 for 12c.

1 each of the 4 kinds 15c., 3 of each for 40c.



Caladium Esculentum.

CALADIUM ESCULENTUM

(Known as Elephant's Ears.)

At very cheap prices. 10c. each, 3 for 20c., 4 for 25c., 25 for \$1.00, by express. A very effective plant. Leaves 3 feet long by 20 inches wide. By starting bulbs early in a warm place you can transplant May 1, and soon have an elegant show of foliage.



EXCELSIOR PEARL TUBEROSES.

These are the best of all Tuberozes to plant. They are dwarfs, and the immense spike stands erect, covered almost to the foliage with very large, double flowers, sometimes as many as 50 on a spike.

Large bulbs, sure to bloom. 5c. each, 40c. per dozen, \$2. per 100 by express.

Extra large bulbs, 6c. each, 50c. per dozen, \$3. per 100 by express.

NEW VARIEGATED TUBEROSE.

This scarce variety has been neglected because it has been so high in price. Few have ever grown, and not many people have even seen it. It is a plant of superior excellence, and I have put the price within the reach of all. The leaves are bordered with a conspicuous white band, making it a beautiful border plant. Flowers single, large, white, delicious fragrance, but not nearly so heavy as the double sort. The spike is graceful and is much more beautiful when cut than the other kinds. Blooms easier and three weeks earlier than the doubles. The bulbs bloom year after year, while the others do not.

Price fine-blooming bulbs, 5c. each, 3 for 12c., 7 for 25c. By express, 50 for \$1.50, 100 for \$2.

HOW TO PLANT.

Set out about the time you do Coleus, in rich, warm soil. Firm the soil around the bottom of the bulb with your hand, and have the top of the bulb just covered with dirt. When the flowers begin to open, if you take the plant up and put it in a pot or box and place it on the piazza or out of the sun and storms, all the flowers will open very white and full,



NEW VARIEGATED TUBEROSE.



A. BLANK
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GLADIOLUS.

Superfine American Seedlings:

No finer selection of these grand flowers can be made than this mixture. Deep, rich crimsons, snow whites, soft pinks, pearly whites, variegated, marbled, blotched, striped and spotted. 4 for 10c., 25c. per dozen, \$1.50 per hundred by express.

Second size, all blooming bulbs, same quality, 12 for 15c., 25 for 25c., 100 for \$1. Yellow mixture, 3 for 10c., 5 for 15c., 12 for 30c.

White mixture, 3 for 10c., 5 for 15c., 12 for 30c.



GLADIOLUS LEMOINEI
(Butterfly Gladiol.)

Gladiolus 'Lemoinei.

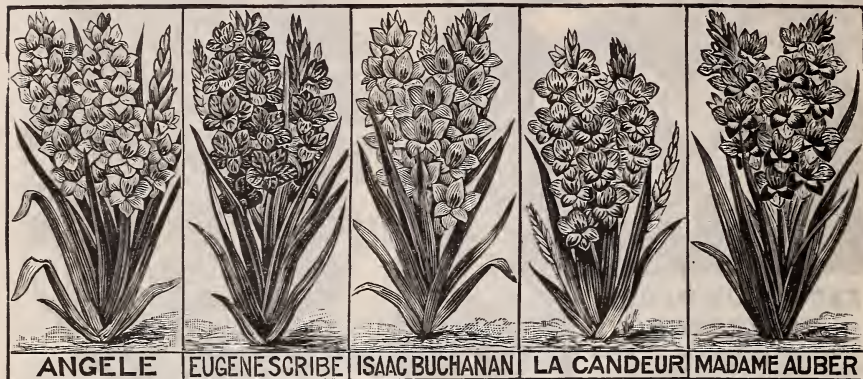
(BUTTERFLY
GLADIOL.)

These are very brilliant in color. Blotched with such intense colors they look like orchids. More than 20 kinds and colors. 3 for 10c., 5 for 15c., 10 for 25c., 25 for 50c.

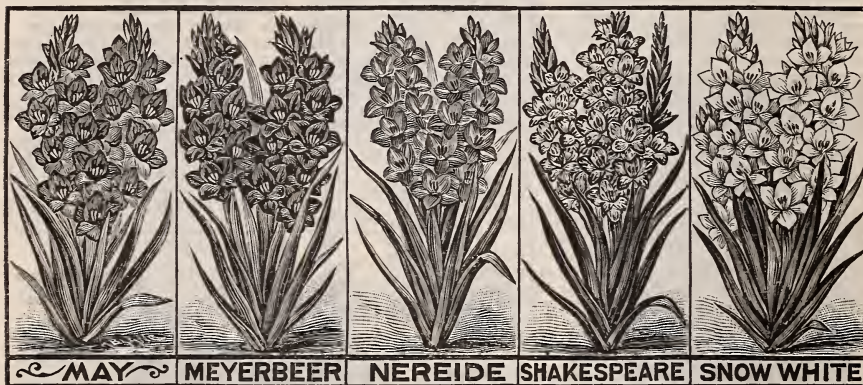
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Gladiolus

Monte Cristo Collection

For
75c.



- ANGELE.** Pearly white, lovely shade.....each, 5c.
EUGENE SCRIBE. Rosy white, blazed with carmine-red, large flower, strong grower.....each, 5c.
ISAAC BUCHANAN. Very fine yellow.....each, 5c.
LA CANDEUR. White, shaded with rose and lavender, very delicate color.....each, 5c.
MADAME AUBER. Extra large spike, very large, finely shaped flowers, clear rosy lavender, blotch of creamy white and rose, extra.....each, 15c.



- MAY.** Peach blow, flaked with rosy crimson, robust growereach, 5c.
MEYERBEER. Magnificent spike, brilliant scarlet, flamed with vermillion; amaranth-red blotch.....each, 5c.
NEREIDE. Flowers and spike very large, Mother-of-Pearl rose, blotched with violet, one of the finest varieties grown.....each, 15c.
SHAKESPEARE. A grand flower, white, suffused with carmine rose, much used by Florists, very early.....each, 5c.
SNOW-WHITE. The only pure white variety. Cut spike and place in water when the first four flowers are open, they will come out snow-white.....each, 15c.

The entire collection of 10 kinds on this page for 75c.,
or each kind for price named.

LEMOINE'S (HARDY) HYBRID GLADIOLUS.

BUTTERFLY OR ORCHID FLOWERING.

These Gladioli are called hardy in France, but they are not quite hardy in this latitude; they are perfectly so a little further South.

They are rightly called **Butterfly** or **Orchid** flowering, as no outside flower has the intense and wonderful coloring these Gladioli have.

Finest hybrid seedlings, all colors and kinds mixed. 3 cents each, 2 for 5 cents, 5 for 10 cents, 12 for 20 cents, 25 for 40 cents, 100 for \$1.50.

INGLESIDE HYBRID GLADIOLUS.

By the originator these are called the finest of all Hybrid Gladioli; the colors and forms are truly wonderful. 10 cents each.

DRACOCEPHALUS (DRAGON'S HEAD) SPECIES.

A very curious artistic species. Color, old gold and bronze. 5 cents each.

SAUNDERSONI SPECIES.

The most magnificent species in cultivation. Immense red flowers, covered with a glittering sparkle, lower petals white; very curious. 5 cents each.

A collection of these named Gladioli produces a most beautiful and fantastic effect.

ATLAS.—Clear violet, large velvety maroon blotch.

ADMIRAL COURBET.—Deep purple.

ADMIRAL PIERRE.—Dark carmine, blotched with maroon, bordered with light yellow.

ANDRE CHENIER.—Lively scarlet, deep blotch.

C. HEINEMAN.—Red, lower petals crimson, edged with gold.

CHARLES MARTEL.—Rosy blush, intense carmine blotch.

EMILIE LEMOINE.—Bright vermilion, dotted with gold.

ENFANT DE NANCY.—Purplish red, lower petals deep crimson.

ETENDARD.—Light red, large canary and crimson blotches.

FROEPOLI.—Rosy cream, purple blotch.

GAMBETTA.—Dark plum purple; very rich.

INCENDIARY.—Bright, fine red; very striking.

LAMERTINE.—Rosy flesh, bright maroon blotch.

LAFAYETTE.—Yellowish salmon, crimson blotch, extra.

LA FRANCE.—Light salmon, velvety purple, on yellow ground.

MASQUE DE FER. (The Iron Mask).—Rich deep black crimson.

MARIE LEMOINE.—Large flower, pale cream color, lower petals, violet maroon, bordered with yellow.

OBELISK.—Rich solferino, deep crimson blotch, tipped with yellow.

ORIFLAMME.—A magnificent spike and flower, rich crimson, shaded almost black.

SCEPTRE D'OR.—The best yellow of this class. Very showy.

Any variety of these 20 splendid named kinds, 4 cents each; any three for 9 cents; any 10 for 25 cents. The entire collection of 20 kinds for 25 cents.



LEMOINE'S (HARDY) HYBRID GLADIOLUS.



MILLA BIFLORA (Frost Work).

The flowers have the oddest and most beautiful appearance imaginable. They appear like the most beautiful wax work, only enlivened by a living sparkle. The centre is lovely, the anthers are a delicate lemon yellow; the pistil is curiously carved, and usually covered with honeydew. The fragrance is delightful. Place a stalk in water and the flowers will all open. We have seen eleven stalks shoot up successively from one bulb. The bulbs will flower profusely with great certainty. 5c. each, 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c., \$2.10 per 100.

BESSERA ELEGANS (Coral Drops).

While this is nothing like Milla biflora in appearance, we are glad to say that it is of equal value. It will bloom shortly after being planted in the open ground, and will keep on blooming until frost. We have frequently had seven successive flower spikes from one bulb in a season—a thing not equalled by any other flowering bulb we know of. In point of beauty, it is exquisite. The flower stems are from one to two feet high, supporting a dozen or more bell-shaped flowers of a bright coral scarlet, with white cups and dark blue anthers. The foliage is thin and rush-like, 10 to 12 inches long. Like the Milla, the blooms will last many days when cut. 5c. each, 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c., \$2.10 per 100 Bulbs.



BESSERA ELEGANS (Coral Drops).



CYCLOBOTBRA FLAVA (Golden Shell).

The cup is golden yellow, with fine black dots in the petals. The three colors contrast most beautifully together. A few sprays of each, when placed together, form a cluster heretofore unseen and unobtainable in the way of flowering bulbs. A subtle fragrance pervades the flower. 5c. each, 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c., \$2.10 per 100 Bulbs.

NEW AND BEAUTIFUL CANNAS.



NEW CANNAS.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY. Bright Scarlet **Crimson.** The best and most showy bright-colored Canna ever raised. Grows $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 feet. In flower the entire summer and fall. Extra fine, **25c.**

GLORIOSA. Very dwarf, 2 feet high. Begins to bloom when only 6 inches high, broad foliage, immense trusses of 50 to 60 flowers, single flowers 4 to 5 inches across, rich scarlet crimson, with a distinct golden band around each petal. A perpetual bloomer, and is extra fine. **20c.** each, 2 for **30c.**

ALEMANNIA. The largest of all Canna flowers, some 7 inches across, petals bright yellow, with large blotches of vermillion orange that are heavily mottled with scarlet. The best of all the Italian Giant Orchid-flowering Cannas. **20c.** each, 2 for **35c.**

AMERICA. The first gigantic flowering Canna with red leaves. Flowers beautiful glowing red purple, flamed and striped, entirely new color. **20c.** each, 2 for **35c.**

Each of the four new Cannas, **75c.**

Standard List of Cannas of Unequaled Excellence.

ALSACE. The White Canna. Early and continuous bloomer. Dense spikes of flowers, which upon opening are a light sulphur yellow, changing very soon to a creamy white. The only Canna of this unique color. Each **15c.**, 2 for **25c.**, per dozen, **\$1.50.**

ELDORADO. The best yellow bedding Canna ever raised, green foliage. **15c.**, 2 for **25c.**; **\$10.00** per 100.

EGANDALE. Intense currant red, great brilliancy, foliage dark bronze. A wonderful Canna. **15c.**, 2 for **25c.**; **\$7.00** per 100.

ITALIA. The giant Italian Canna. Crimson with wide yellow border, sold last year for \$1.00 each; now **15c.** each.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE. Rich crimson scarlet, each petal bordered with gold. **15c.**, 2 for **25c.**; **\$5.00** per 100.

SOUVENIR D'ANTOINE CROZY. One of the best Cannas ever raised. The flowers are the brightest of all scarlet and gold. Beautiful plant, immense heads of flowers. Don't fail to plant this. **15c.**, 2 for **25c.**; **\$10.00** per hundred.

CANNA SEED.

Large Flowering French and Giant Orchid Flower Mixed.

This seed is saved from the very best and newest named American and Crozy's dwarf Gladiolus flowering French Cannas. Many of the kinds this seed is saved from sell for 50c. and \$1.00 each. Seed bloom the first year. Soak them in boiling water over night; sow singly in small pots as soon as convenient, and grow as rapidly as possible. The roots can be kept in the cellar over winter, and each clump will give six to eight good roots for planting out the following spring. Pkt., 15 seeds, **5c.**

Good mixed Canna seed, pkt., 15 seeds, 3c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. **35c.**



LITTLE GEM CALLA.

LITTLE GEM CALLA.

Seldom grows over 10 in. high, yet bears many sweet flowers of good size. An excellent plant. **15c., 2 for 25c.**

SPOTTED CALLA.

White flowers, the leaves covered with transparent white spots. Effective window plant. Distinct. **10c., 3 for 25c.**

NEW YELLOW CALLA.

Golden yellow, jet black centre; very rare and expensive bulbs. Treat same as the spotted Calla. Blooms winter and summer. **50c. each, extra large bulbs, 75c.**



SPOTTED CALLA.



NEW YELLOW CALLA.

PERUVIAN LILY.

Gorgeous flowering plants; flowers produced in great numbers; all shades and colors, and most elegantly mottled with purple, crimson, rose, blue, yellow, green, appearing, when in bloom, like a thousand butterflies. Hardy with slight protection. **15c. 2 for 25c.**



PERUVIAN LILY.

SCARLET FREEZIA.

In bloom the whole summer; dense clusters of brilliant crimson flowers. The three lower petals marked with a black spot. **5c., 4 for 15c., 10 for 25c.**



SUMMER SCARLET FREEZIA.

MONTBRETIAS

Miniature like Gladiolus throwing up a profusion of bloom all summer.

Crocsmæflora—golden orange, **4c. each, 3 for 10c., 12 for 30c.**

Rosea—fine rose color, **5c. each, 3 for 12c., 12 for 35c.**

Transcendent—very large and fine Red and yellow, **5c. each, 3 for 10c., 12 for 35c.**

1 of each, 12c. 5 " " 40c.



MONTBRETIA CROCSMÆ-FLORA.

Bulbs, good kinds, good quality, for little money.



Amaranthus

Or Fountain Plant.

One of the most showy plants we have. More than 40 kinds. Leaves bright yellow, scarlet, etc. It also grows in very curious shapes..

Packet (30 kinds and colors) 3 cents.



AGERATUM NEW WHITE.

Ageratum

NEW WHITE—Heads pure white. Pkt. 4 cts.
LITTLE DORRITT—Large flowers, lovely sky blue; covered with flowers. Pkt. 4 cents.

GOLDEN GEM—New, pure yellow. Pkt. 4 cts.

The 3 varieties make a splendid contrast. Mixture of all three kinds, 3c. 3 pkts., 1 of each, 10c.



ABUTILON HYBRIDS.

have flowering plants in the early fall and all winter.

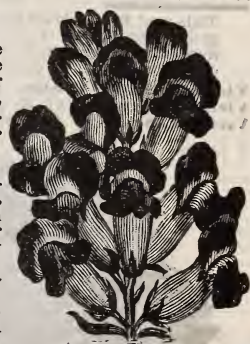
Packet (20 seeds) 6 cents.

Antirrhinum

One of the most brilliant annuals we have. This plant is really very little known. It is a constant, easy bloomer of most exquisite colors. Long spikes, clothed with most brilliant flowers. **Yellow, Scarlet, pink, cream, etc.** It does well in the house in winter.

Packet of 20 kinds and colors, 3 cts.

"QUEEN OF THE NORTH"—Double white, is very sweet-scented. Flowers have been sold at very high prices in New York. Plants sold for 25c. the past winter. A most lovely thing. Pkt. (100 seeds) 6 cents.



ANTIRRHINUM.

Abutilon Hybrids.

This lovely plant can be grown very easy from seed. Start in the house and you will

Alyssum

LITTLE GEM—This plant is certainly a little gem. Grows easy and blooms early and all summer. Will cover a space nearly 2 feet across, and one plant often bears 400 perfect spikes of bloom. Fragrance very refreshing. Packet 4 cents.

SWEET ALYSSUM—This old favorite is dear to the hearts of flower lovers. Packet 2 cents.

YELLOW (Gold Dust)—Sow early will bloom first year. Hardy all winter; blooms from year to year. Pkt. 5 cts.

ALYSSUM—All kinds, mixed.

Pkt. (200 seeds) 3 cents.

3 pkts. one of each kind 8 cents.



ALYSSUM LITTLE GEM.

Asters

These are among the most desirable jewels of the flower garden. Easy to grow, sure to bloom, bright as fire, chaste as snow. Make beautiful beds and borders, and lovely as a cut flower. Plant when the ground is nice and warm, or start in boxes inside. Break the ground nice and fine and have

it good and rich. Make several plantings and plant liberally.

All my Named Aster packets contain from 40 to 50 seeds. The Mixed, 100 Seeds.



COMET ASTER.

Giant Comet White

This is a wonder among Asters, very large and fluffy like an immense white Japanese Chrysanthemum; it is an ideal wedding flower. The true seed is very expensive; beware of spurious stock; the ordinary **White Comet** is not a circumstance to this. Pkt. 40 seeds 10c., 3 for 25 cts.

NEW COMET

This plant is an immense favorite wherever known. Flowers 3 to 4½ in. across. Petals grow in the most artistic manner, curved and twisted most beautifully. **Extra Fine Mixed.** Pkt. 5c.



VICTORIA ASTER.

VICTORIA



This and **Perfection** have been the most popular Asters grown for years. Flowers very large, 4 inches and over across. Used a great deal by florists for cutting for bouquets, vases, floral work. Colors bright, clear, charming.

Victoria, Snow White. Pkt. 40 seeds, 6 cts.

Victoria, Pink. Pkt. 40 seeds, 6 cents.

Victoria, Scarlet. Pkt. 40 seeds, 6 cents.

VICTORIA, MIXED.

Over 20 bright and lovely shades of colors
Pkt. 5 cents, ½-oz. 15 cents.



PERFECTION ASTER.

New Diamond Asters

This new race, which we have flowered for several years in all its separate colors, is of the highest merit. The flowers are extremely beautiful and of the greatest perfection, 2 to 2½ in. across, perfectly double, and each petal is distinctly incurved. The flowers are particularly valuable for cutting for bouquets. The plants grow 18 to 20 inches in height, and the entire plant is a perfect mass of bloom. The colors are rich and varied. Pkt., finest mixed, 5 cents.

PERFECTION



Sometimes called **Pæony-Flowered**, because the flowers are so large and bright; they look like **Pæonies**. Flowers are large, colors bright and of the very best.

20 Colors Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

FIRE BALL

The most dazzling **scarlet**.
Pkt. 6 cents.

SNOW BALL

Pure white color, a lovely flower. Pkt. 6 cents.



NEW GIANT JAPANESE ASTERS.

SEMPLE'S NEW ASTER.

SEMPLE ASTER.

The flowers are immense—often **4 inches across**—the petals are curiously curved and twisted like a beautiful Japanese Chrysanthemum. The colors are superb. Soft, deep, **rosy pink, fiery lake, crimson, snow-white and pink.** Flower stems often 12 inches long, which makes it fine for cutting. The plant grows 2 feet high and needs plenty of room, as it throws up innumerable flower stems. Blooms during August and September, after most Asters are gone, which makes it very valuable for exhibitions and fairs. Pkt. (40 seeds) **8c.**, 2 for **15c.**, $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz. **20c.**

NEW JAPANESE ASTERS.

The largest of all Asters; flowers are often 5 to 6 inches across, like an immense Chrysanthemum, with very long petals. The colors are **flesh and rose.** Seed very expensive and scarce. Pkt. (30 seeds) **10c.**, 3 for **25c.**



GIANT COMET WHITE.

This is a **wonder** among Asters, very large and fluffy like an immense white Japanese Chrysanthemum; it is an ideal wedding flower. The true seed is very expensive; beware of spurious stock; the ordinary **White Comet** is not a circumstance to this.

Pkt. (50 seeds) **10c.**, 3 for **25c.**

Vick's New Branching Aster.

One of the most unique, æsthetic, beautiful Asters. Flowers 4 inches across, with a mass of finely cut and twisted petals.

Pure White—Pkt. (40 sds.) **10c.**, 3 for **25c.**

Pink—Pkt. (30 seeds) **10c.**, 3 for **25c.**

Mixed—Pkt. (40 seeds) **5c.**, 3 for **12c.**

THE YELLOW ASTER.

This is the first real **Yellow Aster** ever raised. Stems are long and the flowers of the **brightest sulphur yellow.** For bouquets they are superb, yellow being a note of color long wanted. The illustration shows the habit of plant and form of flower.

Pkt. (40 seeds) **10c.**, 3 for **25c.**

ASTER—GIANT COMET WHITE.

One Packet of each of the above five kinds (Vick's Mixed for one) regular price 43c.—all for 25c.

Balsams . . .

Plant Balsams—Grow so easy, bloom so long, so much, and so little trouble. My double Balsams are like lovely Camellias.

Double Camellia Floral Park Mixture—These flowers are all large, colors bright and varied, from delicate lemon, pink bluish, spotted and snow-white. Pkt. 25 colors and shades, 5c.

Large Double Mixed—Packet of 25 seeds, 3 cents.

Snowball—A large double Camellia flowered snow-white kind. Pkt. 4c.

Maiden's Blush—Delicate pink. Pkt. 3 cents.

Light Lemon Double—Pkt. 5c.

Begonia Seed.

A most lovely house plant and for beds outside.

Tuberous-Rooted Single Mixed—Pkt. 50 seeds, 10 cents.

Begonia Double—Very scarce and high. Pkt. 40 seeds, 12c.

Begonia Vernon—This new and popular sort blooms easy and free; very much planted. 50 seeds, 5c.



BEGONIA.

Brachycome...

Swan River Daisy.

A lovely little beauty. Blue, with bright eye. Single flowers are very tasty for buttonhole.

Packet 50 seeds, 3 cents.



SWAN RIVER DAISY.



BACHELOR'S BUTTON.



IMPROVED BALSAMS.

. . . Bachelor's Button . . .

Bachelor's Button Double—A very charming form of this old, dear favorite; flowers large, showy. Pkt. 30 seeds, 4c.

Bachelor's Button Single—The German National Flower. A chaste and simple little favorite. Pkt. 30 seeds, 3 cents.

Queen Anne's Sweet-Scented Pocket Melon.

This is not only a novelty, but a great curiosity and useful fruit. Grows on trellises, makes a pretty vine, and showy fruit which has a delicious perfume; carried in the pocket or laid on mantel or table, imparts a delicious fragrance; served with sugar makes a dainty dessert. Packet 20 seeds, 8 cents.



SWEET-SCENTED MELON.

CALYCANTHEMA.

CUP-AND-SAUCER—New and gigantic form of Campanula. A very lovely garden favorite. Plants last year after year. Pkt. (100 seeds) 8 cts.



CAMPANULA CANTERBURY BELL.



CALYCANTHEMA—CUP-AND-SAUCER.

Campanula Canterbury Bell

This beautiful plant is full of flowers most of the summer. Graceful Bells of delicate shades of color. Plants live and bloom year after year. Pkt. (100 seeds of all varieties, mixed) 3 cts.



CALENDULA-ORIOLE

Extra large, double and brilliant yellow. Pkt. 4c.

CALENDULA—POT MARIGOLD—Large and double; rich golden yellow flowers. Pkt. 3 cts.



CALCEOLARIA * * * * * * * * SHOWER OF GOLD

For house or conservatory this is a gem. Plant is a sheet of flowers. Pkt. (100 seeds) 10 cts.



CALLIOPSIS.

Grow without trouble. Blooms by hundreds. A lovely flower. Shades of orange, yellow, crimson, and brown. Packet (100 seeds) 3 cts.



CANDYTUFT BY
VANDER-MAERCK & CO.



SNOW QUEEN CANDYTUFT.

CANDY- TUFT.

ROCKET.

The finest large-flowering Candytuft ever sold.

Packet 4 cts.

SNOW QUEEN.

Is rather new; makes a pyramidal bush covered with hundreds of flowers of snowy whiteness. Don't be without it.

Pkt. 5 cents.



ROCKET CANDYTUFT.

MARGUERITE CARNATION.

CARNATION MARGUERITE.

A great favorite because it blooms so quick after sowing the seed. Flowers large, colors are bright and var'ed, with that delicious, refreshing clove fragrance that makes all Carnations so much loved. Colors are dazzling **red, soft pink, white, mottled and variegated.** Carnations are now one of most sought for flowers in the New York market, and the seed of this variety will produce flowers in a short time as fine as many grown in the Green Houses, and at very very much less cost.

Pkt. finest quality semi-dwarf, (50 seeds) 5 cts.

NEW DWARF FRENCH CANNAS

Are now all the fad. They are the flower for the rich or poor. Little trouble and flowers all summer; flowers like Gladiolus—**spotted, margined, yellow-crimson, lake, etc.** Soak seed over night in warm water; single seed in pot and set outside soon as weather gets warm. Keep roots in cellar from year to year. Our seed is from **World's Fair Collection.**

Packet (10 seeds) 5 cents.

GOOD MIXED CANNA SEED—Packet 3 cts.



FRENCH CANNAS.



JAPANESE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.



GOLDEN FEATHER.

CHRYSANTHEMUM...

GOLDEN FEATHER :
The best of all the annual or single kinds. Blooms quickly and has very vivid colors. Pkt. 4 cts.

JAPANESE CHRYSANTHEMUM

No flower can ever take the place of this. The Fall months are not half a fall without them. My seed is the finest. Sow seed as late as March, and they bloom readily in October and November. These fine varieties need a little protection the first winter, if left in the ground. Pkt. (of at least 50 seeds) 10 cts.



GLASGOW PRIZE.

Cockscomb Glasgow Prize.

The best of all these old-fashioned beauties. Immense heads of a rich crimson. Pkt. (enough for 100 plants) 5 cts.



CINERARIA GRANDIFLORA — One of the finest fall and winter house-plants we have. Blooms all winter in the house. Used in all exhibitions of plants. 10 cols. 10c



CACTUS.

These curious and hardy plants grow easy from seed. Plant inside where it is warm. Pkt. (30 seeds) 10c.



COBÆA SCANDENS.

Cobæa Scandens

This is quite an aristocrat among climbers. Is an elegant house plant as well as the favorite outside. Plants are sold of it at 10 and 15 cents each. Grows easy and rapid from seed. Start the seed inside and transplant when warm and you have a fine show very early. The flowers are very large and striking and of a violet-blue. It will grow 25 to 40 feet in a season. Pkt. 10 seeds 6c.

Coleus

American Hybrids.

Why buy these plants every year when so easily raised from seed. Our Hybrids are grand plants either as a single plant or used for borders or beds. A grand show can be had with a few packets of seed. Packet of over 100 seeds, 6 cents.



NEW COLEUS, AMERICAN HYBRIDS.



CYCLAMEN GIGANTEUM.

Cyclamen Giganteum.

One of the very best pot plants we have. Blooms in winter and summer. On the veranda they are very attractive. Bulbs live from year to year. Start the seed inside. Not only are the flowers very showy and colors superb, but the foliage is very handsomely marbled.

GIGANTEUM—20 seeds, 10 cents.

CYCLAMEN PERSCUM—8 cents.

NEW EARLY FLOWERING COSMOS.

SWEET-SCENTED AND AS LARGE AND PERFECT AS SINGLE DAHLIAS.



NEW EARLY FLOWERING COSMOS.

These new hybrids originated in California. They bloom from **one to two months** sooner than the ordinary kinds. The colors are most beautiful and varied. Plant them by all means.

Packet (50 seeds), all colors mixed, **10c.**, 3 packets **r 25c.**

COSMOS CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH HYBRIDS.

GIANT PERFECTION.

The Cosmos has become a society flower. It has its season like the chrysanthemum—at a certain time society people buy them for personal wear and use them for house and table decorations. And why not? They are one of the most beautiful and chaste flowers we have and they last such a long time when cut. California has again shown what a wonderland she is by the improvement of this flower in size, form, and infinite shades of color. **Rose, pink, red and white, crimson, cream and yellow.** Packet, all colors mixed (50 seeds), **6c.**, 3 for **15c.**

COSMOS "THE PEARL."

Pure White, very large. Pkt. 50 seeds, **4c.**

COSMOS CONCHITA.

Crimson Velvet. Pkt. 50 seeds, **5c.**

COSMOS ROSE PINK.

Beautiful Rose Pink. Pkt. 50 seeds, **4c.**

NEW GOLDEN COSMOS.

This variety has very dwarf, finely cut foliage Blooms from June until frost, forming a solid carpet of **golden-yellow** flowers. A good edging for the taller sorts. Pkt. **10c.**, 3 for **25c.**

BLACK COSMOS.

Makes a bushy plant, full of flowers of almost **velvety blackness**, shot with golden-yellow anthers. Makes a lovely contrast with other sorts. Pkt. **6c.**, 2 for **10c.**

THE 7 KINDS (REGULAR PRICE 45 CENTS), 1 PACKET OF EACH, 30 CENTS.

DIANTHUS, OR JAPANESE CLOVE PINKS.

These are a great favorite with all. Not only the deep, rich flower, but the refreshing clove scent. **Oriental Mixture** contains nothing but double and fringed flowers; more than 20 kinds and colors. Pkt. 100 seeds, 5c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz., 15c.

DIANTHUS MOURNING CLOAK—This dark or almost black variety is very handsome. Flowers large and double, like black velvet. Pkt. 4c.

DIANTHUS FIREBALL—Double crimson. Pkt. 4c.

DIANTHUS SNOWBALL—Double silvery white. Pkt. 4c.

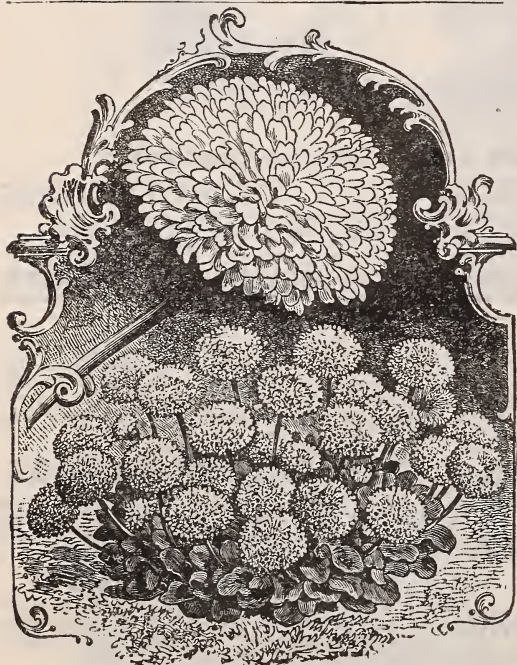


DIANTHUS OR JAPANESE PINKS.



Fancy Double Dahlia Seed.

This seed is saved from large, double, fancy and show flowers of the very best quality. Pkt. 30 seeds, 5c.



NEW SNOWBALL DAISY.



Fancy Dahlia Seed.

This is a superfine mixture of Cactus Gracilis, single, Pompon, and all odd and beautiful varieties mixed.

Pkt. 30 seeds, 5c.

Double Dahlia seed. Pkt. 30 seeds, 3c.

Single Dahlia seed. Pkt. 30 seeds, 3c.

All Dahlias bloom from seed the first year.

New Large Snowball Daisy.

This is the finest, largest and whitest Daisy ever grown; a perfect beauty. Start seed inside or sow outside. Quite hardy. Pkt. 100 seeds, 6c.

Dianthus, Chinese and Japanese, all kinds mixed. Pkt. 100 seeds, 3c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz., 10c.



Forget-Me-Not.

A lovely flower of sweetest memory. What memories will not a little spray of this lovely blue flower bring up. Pkt. 4c.

FORGET-ME-NOT.

blooms all summer. Good for a pot plant, bedding, or cutting; for borders and edging there is nothing better. Pkt. 3 cents.

Fever-Few, Double.



EUCHARIDIUM BREWERI.

Eucharidium Breweri.

This is a very rare and expensive flower. Purplish rose with white centre. Curious and very pretty in shape. Plant is dwarf and covered with flowers. Pkt. 6 cents.



DOUBLE FEVER-FEW.



Delphinium Formosum—This is a hardy plant, but grows quick and easy from seed. The color is a vivid blue. No flower has a more charming blue than this; one of my favorites. Pkt. 4 cents.

Hyacinth-flowered Delphinium—The single flower is large and shaped like a Hyacinth. Very beautiful. Pkt. 4 cents.

Delphinium Hybrids—A lovely mixture of more than twenty shades of color of this plant. All styles and colors mixed. Pkt. 3 cents.

Imperial, or Annual Delphiniums—A magnificent mixture of over 30 colors. Pkt. 4 cents.

Plants of Delphiniums live out through the coldest winters.



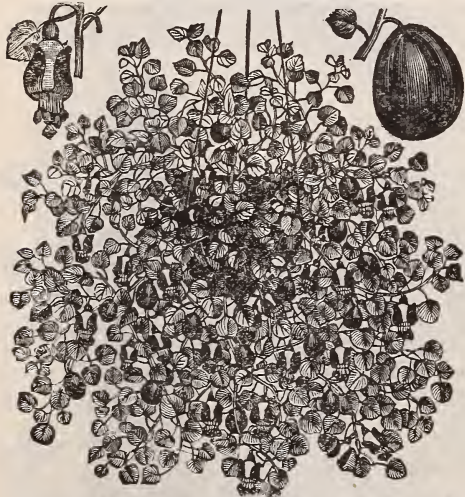
DELPHINIUM, HYACINTH-FLOWERED.



EUPHORBIA HETROPHYLLA

PAINTED LEAF.

Called so because the leaves are so bright and showy. Plant grows 3 to 4 feet high, and about mid-summer becomes a mass of rich foliage and color. Small, white flowers in the centre of each orange-scarlet bract. The leaves become a vivid carmine or scarlet, with green tips. Start early to get the full benefit of these brilliant colors. Pkt. 50 seeds, **5c.**, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., **15c.**



TRAILING FUCHSIA PROCUMBENS

This is not only curious, but one of the very best trailing plants we have for House, Basket, Vase, or Window. Foliage small and thick. Flowers curious in shape; color red, with blue anthers. Mixed with the blooms in great quantities, appear bright red berries a little larger than cherries, which stay on for nearly six months. Pkt. 15 seeds, **10c.**



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CAPE FUCHSIA.

PHYGELIUS CAPENSIS.

During our past dry summer this was never out of bloom, while geraniums alongside of it were perishing. When barely a few inches high bears from 10 to 20 bold, long spikes, completely crowded with showy, scarlet drooping flowers, persistently produced from May until winter, and even then in the house. Perfectly hardy. This is a good plant for bedding and for winter blooming. Pkt. 15 seeds, **10c.**



FUCHSIA

Double and Single Mixed.

My seeds of this beautiful plant have been saved from a splendid collection of named sorts. Now in March in shallow pots and transplant when large enough. Double and single, named sorts. Pkt. 20 seeds, **10c.**

Fuchsia seed sown in Jadoo comes quick and strong.



GERANIUMS.

FROM SEED.

This grand plant is the standby for all, and at all times—for bedding in summer or winter blooming in pots. Few know how very easy and quick they bloom from seed. With very little trouble you can get all the plants you want from seed at a very trifling expense. Some of the very finest sorts have been raised from packets of seed purchased this way. Much pleasure is derived from raising seedlings. Start early and you have plenty of bloom first year. My seed is from the best named kinds only. **PACKET (50 seeds) extra choice, 10c.**

Good Mixed—Double and single. Pkt. 6c.



Gaillardia Lorenziana.

A new **double** Gaillardia. This flower is of the most popular and fashionable style. Long stems; good for vases, bouquets, or to wear singly or for corsage or buttonhole. Blooms continually all summer. **Scarlets, yellows, claret, zoned, and beautifully bordered.** A gem.

Pkt. (20 colors) 4c.

GAILLARDIAS SINGLE.

Very showy, large single flowers; like a peacock feather. In bloom all summer. Pkt. (20 colors) 3c.

HARDY GAILLARDIAS.

Aurora Borealis.—As gaudy and beautiful as a peacock's feather. Plants of these handsome flowers sell for **10 to 15c.** each. Bloom from seed first year, and last year after year. A bed will be a mass of bloom all summer.

Finest Mixed Varieties.
Pkt 5c.



Godetia (Satin Rose).

Satin Rose—Very large showy annual. Rich velvety satin rose. Pkt. 3c.

Mixed—20 kinds. Pkt. 2c.



GILIA TRICOLOR

A very showy annual that blooms easy and always.
Pkt. 3c.



GLOXINIAS.

BULBS AND SEED.

Seed—Pkt. (50 seeds) 10c.
Bulbs—5 for 25c.

Gomphrena, Globe Amaranth.

This beautiful everlasting flower is very double and a rich color. One of the very best. Pkt. (50 seeds) 4 cts.



NEW HYBRID HÉLIOTROPE.



GOMPHRENA.

NEW HYBRID * * HÉLIOTROPES

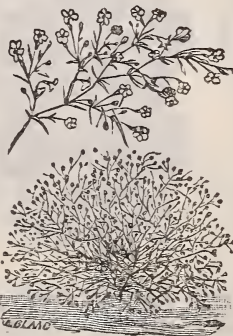
What fragrance equals the Heliotrope? A sweetness all its own. My hybrid seed is saved from the best and newest named kinds—from deep to light blue and almost black. Large florets, deep perfume. Raised very easy from seed, started either in the house or sown in the open ground.

Packet (100 seeds) 5 cents.



GOURDS.

Very useful and ornamental climber. My seed contains very many kinds of all shapes. Packet 3 cts.



GYPSOPHILA, BRIDAL VEIL.

Most lovely flower for vases and bouquets. White and rose. Packet 3 cents.



Gladiolus, French Hybrids.

Butterfly and named kinds, mixed. Pkt. of more than 25 kinds, 3 cents.

HUMULUS

**New
Variegated
Japanese
Hop.**

A lovely vine.
Grows **30 feet**
in a season.

Hardy, and
gives a welcome
charming shade.

Pkt., 50 seeds.
4 cents.



HOLLYHOCKS.

World's Fair Mixture.

This grand old plant was always dear to us all. But of late years it is a wonder. Enormous flowers with such deep colors, such delicate shades of **pink, bluish and yellow**, with all the darker ones to almost **black**. Packet of 20 colors (50 seeds) **6c.**

Double Black—Packet (50 seeds) **8c.**

HELICHRYSUM.

This everlasting is surely a gem. Large, rich, glossy flowers that keep all winter. **Yellow, scarlet, pink.** Packet best mixture of 10 colors. **4c.**

Fire Ball Large, glossy scarlet. Packet **5c.**

NEW HYBRID HELIOTROPES.

What fragrance equals the Heliotrope? A sweetness all its own. My hybrid seed is saved from the best and newest named kinds—from **deep to light blue** and almost **black**. Large florets, deep perfume. Raised very easy from seed, started either in the house or sown in the open ground.

Packet (100 seeds) 5c.
Hybrids of Egypt and Mid-night. Very dark. Pkt. (100s'ds) **6c.**



GLOBE AMARANTH.

This beautiful everlasting flower is very double and a rich color. One of the very best. Pkt., 50 seeds, **3c.**

HYACINTHUS CANDICANS.

This bulb is very hardy, grows easy, and throws up a Yucca-like spike 4 to 5 ft. high, clothed with drooping white flower bells.

Bulbs—2 for **6c.**, 4 for **10c.**, 10 for **20c.**

Seed—This will make blooming bulbs in one year, grows easy and quick. Pkt., 25 seeds, **4c.**

CALIFORNIA VIOLET SEED.

Never before offered for sale by any one. My seed is large, fresh and plump, and comes up quickly. Pkt., **10c.**, 3 for **25c.**

GLASGOW PRIZE COCKSCOMB.

The best of all these old-fashioned beauties. Immense heads of a rich crimson. Pkt., enough for 100 plants, **5c.**

CACTUS.

These curious and hardy plants grow easy from seed. Plant inside where it is warm. Pkt., 30 seeds, **10c.**

HIBISCUS CRIMSON EYE.

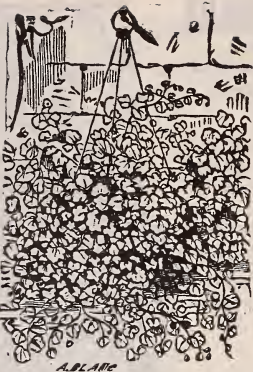
These immense flowers of pure white, with **crimson** eye, often measure 20 inches around, and a plant will often have several hundred. It blooms from seed the first year, sown in the open ground. Perennial, and lasts year after year. Packet, **5c.**

Hibiscus Giant Yellow or Golden Bowl—Enormous golden cup shaped flower; blooms early and continuously. New and very desirable. Pkt. **8c.**, 4 for **25c.**

IPOMEA "NORTHERN LIGHT," grows 50 feet in a season. Packet (10 seeds) **10c.**



LANTANA.



KENILWORTH IVY.



IMPATIENS SULTAN.

Kenilworth Ivy

This is lovely for baskets, windows, or outside. Pkt. (100 seeds) 3 cts.

LANTANAS.

This is a great favorite for beds and borders. Large Verbena-like heads of rich orange, pink, and yellow. Is very easy to grow from seed and withstands all kind of treatment and abuse. Pkt. (20 seeds) 4 cts.



JAPANESE IRIS.

Impatiens - - - - - - Sultani

This is constantly in flower. The outside of the plant is covered with these curious and pretty rich pink flowers. Pkt. (25 seeds) 7 cts.

Iris Japanese.

Saved from a magnificent collection of named kinds, many which sell for 50 cents each, and have flowers 9 inches across. This seed produces new varieties, and many are likely to be very fine. This plant is hardy. Pkt. (20 seeds) 5 cts.



LICHNIS BURNING STAR

This is a dazzling beauty in the garden. Bright scarlet. Flowers large and very showy, and plants live in a border year after year. Pkt. (100 seeds) 5 cts.



LAVENDER.

Every garden, every house should have this valuable plant. Besides being ornamental, it is useful in many ways. Prevents moths, and imparts a mild and delicious perfume. Pkt. (100 seeds) 5c.



LOBELIA BLUE GEM.

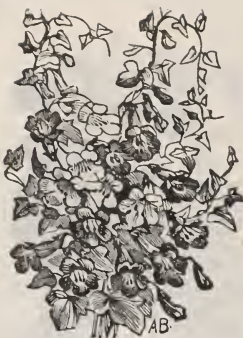
This is a very fine kind of this ever popular plant. Is dwarf, "ashy; flowers deep blue, and covered with them all the season. Indispensable for baskets or pots, as well as outside. Pkt. (200) 4c.



MARTYNIA.

Martynia . . .

This economic gem of the garden is useful as well as ornamental. If you never used them for pickles do so this year without fail, they are a treat. If you never saw the bright and curious flowers they bear, try some at once. True seed quite scarce. Pkt. 5 cents.



MAURANDIA.

Mignonette Machet . . .

The best of all Mignonettes. Spikes thick and long, and deeply tinged with red. Very rich fragrance. Pkt. 4 cents.

Mignonette Pyramidal.

The best outdoor variety; very large, tall spikes. The true tree form. Pkt. 4 cents.



MIGNONETTE MACHET.

Maurandia

This climber is graceful and delicate enough to appear hard to grow, but it is not. Grows quick. Is equally good for basket, house, or out-doors. It blooms very late and steady. Flowers like a Fox Glove, of rich purple-white and rosy-pink.

Packet of over 100 seeds, 3 cts.



MIGNON'TE GOLDEN QUEEN.

Mignon'te, Golden Queen.

Large Spikes of a golden hue. Pkt. 3 cents.

Mignonette, Giant White.

Large, very long white spikes, very fragrant. Pkt. 3c



MINA LOBATA.



MIGNON'TE GIANT WHITE.

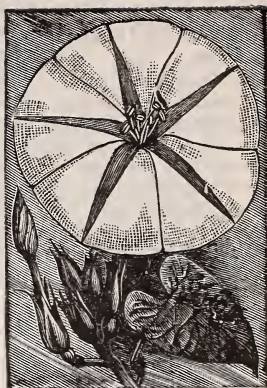
Mina Lobata . . .

This Mexican climber is a beauty. Grows 20 to 30 feet. Flowers curious and very showy and pretty. Red orange and creamy white. Pkt. 5 cents.

MIGNONETTE — All kinds mixed. Pkt. 3c., 1/4-oz., 10c. A packet of each of the 4 kinds, 12c.



CONVOLVULUS MAJOR.



JAPANESE MOONFLOWER.



CONVOLVULUS MINOR

Convolvulus Major ♦ ♦ ♦

Morning Glory.

My seed produces large bright flowers of this old favorite. Pkt. 50 seeds, 3 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz. 5 cents.

MOON... FLOWER.

Seed of the true large-flowering or Mammoth Moon Flower. Pkt. 10 large seeds, 4 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz. 12 cents.



MIMULUS.

MIMULUS—Monkey Flower

Very curious and beautiful class of plants. Flowers richly and curiously marked with rich and striking colors. Fine for baskets, vases, and outside. Pkt. 100 seeds, 8c.

MUSK PLANT.

A variety of the Mimulus with a pleasant musky perfume. Pkt. 100 seeds, 3 cents.

Momordica—Balsam Apple.

A beautiful rare climber with pretty flowers and very showy apple-shaped fruit. Pkt. 4c.

Convolvulus Minor.

Dwarf Morning Glory

This is a beautiful trailing, low-growing sort with lovely rich and striped flowers.

Pkt. 50 seeds, 3 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ -oz. 5 cts.

Molucella.

Shell Flower.

This curious little plant produces lovely flowers that look like sea shells. Pkt. 4c.



MOMORDICA



MOLUCELLA.



CONSUELO—Immensely large carmine flowers with a deep pure white border, foliage beautifully mottled with green and white. Pkt., 15 seeds, 10c.

BRIDAL ROBE—The most magnificent variety ever offered. Flowers satin white, beautifully ruffled, with 6 or 7 distinct rays of ivory white. The foliage is **Golden Yellow**. This variety remains open nearly all day, and begins to bloom when only a few inches high and has yet but 2 or 3 leaves; grows very tall, and makes a heavy vine literally covered with these elegant flowers. Pkt., 15 seeds, 10c.

These are the two finest varieties ever sold.

RUFFLED AND FRILLED varieties mixed—This mixture contains flowers of all colors, having the petals ruffled and fringed. Very scarce. Pkt., 15 seeds, 8c.

DOUBLE JAPANESE MORNING GLORY. Saved from the finest double flowers. Pkt., 15 seeds, 10c.

JAPANESE IMPERIAL

Or Giant Morning Glory.

As the Angel of Morn speeds on the rays of early dawn from east to west, the dewy trumpets of the Morning Glory announce her coming and carpets her way from ocean to ocean.

The flowers of these New Mammoth Morning Glories are as large as moonflowers, often 6 inches across, and the petals of many are beautifully fringed and ruffled. The vines begin to bloom when 2 to 3 feet high and continue to bear flowers by the hundreds until frost. The flowers are not only large but superior in every way to the common kind. The petals are thicker, which gives the colors a deeper and richer look. The flowers are strangely and beautifully marked and colored in a way never seen before. Snowy throats with blood-red border, velvet plum bordered with white, snow-white through all possible shades of blue, and of red from palest pink to darkest reds and purples. They are streaked, mottled, striped, marbled and bordered in wonderful fashion, and sometimes show rare shadings of ash grey, bronze, brown and slate-blue, colors rarely found in any other flowers. To gain time start the seeds in small pots in the house in March or April, and plant in a warm, sunny place. Pkt. 20 seeds finest mixed 5c., 1/2 oz. 15c.



DOUBLE JAPANESE MORNING GLORY

When starting Japanese Morning Glory Seed in the House, use a little Jadoo with the Earth.



NASTURTIIUM.

The People's Flower of Flowers

What a show these bright and dazzling beauties make! They are like a carpet of emerald and gold.

One plant will brighten a home and one seed at the door step will gladden your heart. Some say Sweet Peas—I say Nasturtiums give more for the care and money. Plant any way, and they grow without care. Plant, and plant liberally.

DWARF NASTURTIIUMS—20 named kinds mixed together. All bright colors. Pkt. 4c., oz. 10c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 30 cts., lb. \$1.00.

TALL NASTURTIIUMS—20 named kinds and colors, mixed together; bright. Pkt. (20 seeds) 4c., oz. 10c., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 30 cts., lb. \$1.00.

I only sell one quality and
that **THE BEST.**

Three Magnificent New Nasturtiums



New Dwarf Nasturtium

"CHAMELEON."

This is the most unique and beautiful variety of Nasturtium ever raised. One plant produces as many differently colored flowers as a dozen plants of the ordinary kinds. Nearly every flower on a plant is different; they are large and very beautiful. This is one of the best and most charming novelties we have had in years. Please note what others say of this, and compare our prices. I import my seed of this Nasturtium from France, and from the firm who originated the plant.

Packet 10c.; oz. 25c.



New Tall Nasturtium

"CHAMELEON."

This variety was raised at the same time as the Dwarf; it is exactly the same, only it is a climber or trailing sort. It is absolutely new, and is very fine. It should be tried by all.

Packet 10c.; oz. 25c.

New Hybrid Nasturtium

"LADY GUNTER."

(Trailing or Climbing.)

This is the Giant flowered Nasturtium. The flowers are larger than any others, the colors are much brighter and richer, more varied in shades and more beautiful in every way.

For richness and variety of colors these new hybrids have no equals among Nasturtiums. There are shades of rose, salmon, brightest red, pale yellow, either as self colors or spotted and striped. The foliage is mostly dark and contrasts very effectively with the rich colors. They are climbers and free and continuous bloomers.

Packet 20 seeds 5c.; oz. 15c.



LADY GUNTER.



Nicotiana :: Affinis

Large, open, star-like flowers on a very long trumpet stem. Evening and morning emit a soft, delicious perfume. Plants cut back in the fall will bloom in the house all winter. Pkt. 5 cts.

Nigella ** Love-in-a-Mist

A lovely and curious flower, beautifully ensconced in fine cut foliage. Packet (50 seeds) 3 cts.



NIGELLA—LOVE-IN-A-MIST.

Nierem- bergia Gracilis.

One of the very best vase and basket plant we have, also a lovely plant for beds.

Blooms all summer. Very delicate lavender. Packet 4 cts.



NIEREMBERGIA GRACILIS.

**EVENING SCENTED
NIGHT-BLOOMING
FLOWERS.**

A Collection of Sweet-Scented Evening Bloomers.

Sweet Nightingale or Ghost Flower.
Sweet Scented Stocks, Mathiola.
Evening Primrose.
Nicotiana.
Sweet-scented 4-O'clock.
Sweet-scent Moon Flower.
A large pkt. of all these 6 kinds, mixed in equal portions, over 100 seeds, 5c.

NEMO- PHILLA

A free-blooming, showy cup shape flower, very oddly marked and splashed.

Pkt. 3 cts.



NEMOPHILLA.



New Giant White Pansy---"Bridal Robe."

This is the largest, finest and most striking White Pansy ever sold. For size and beauty nothing can compare with it. Packet, 100 seeds, 10c., 3 for 25c.

Giant Yellow.

A very large new strain of clear Yellow Pansies. Packet, 100 seeds, 10c., 3 for 25c.

Vautier's Mammoth.

The largest Pansies in the world, raised by Mr. Vautier, of America, after thirty years of careful selection. Packet, 100 seeds, 10c., 3 for 25c.

Boulogne.

Entirely new French strain of great merit. Very large, stained and striped. Packet, 50 seeds, 10c.

Bugnots.

These Pansies are known the world over for their remarkable beauty. The face is blotched and stained and counterstained with fine lines and stripes. Packet, 50 seeds, 10c., 3 for 25c.

NOTE.—The **BOULOGNE** and **BUGNOT** Pansies I import from the most reliable seed house in the world.

1 Packet each of the above 5 new kinds for 35c.

Standard Pansies.

FIRE KING—Packet 4c.
PURE YELLOW—Packet 3c.
VICTORIA—The only real scarlet Pansy ever grown. Packet 6c.

Special Scarlet Pansy Mixture, Packet, 100 seeds, 5c., 1-8 oz. 20c.



SUPERFINE MIXED PANSY SEED.

I want **all** my customers to try this charming mixture, and have reduced the price to induce all to try it. You can't have too many beautiful Pansies, and I recommend buying seed by weight to be able to make several plantings of this mixture to insure plenty of flowers **always**. Pkt., 100 seeds, **3c.**, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. **12c.**, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. **20c.**

SWEET-SCENTED PANSIES.

By skillful hybridizing, the delicious perfume of the violet has been instilled in this already charming and favorite flower. The odor varies somewhat from faint and delicate to the sweetest and strongest violet. The flowers in a room, dressingcase, glove or handkerchief box impart that far-away, subtle violet odor. The flowers are often 2 to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches across, of enduring substance, and **endless colors**, including pure white, yellow, black, maroon, orange and lavender, also striped, blotched, feathered, etc. Pkt., 100 seeds, **6c.**

I sell 10 lbs. of mixed Pansy seed a year. It gives great satisfaction.



TUFTED PANSIES. The New Pansy-Violet.

As the new Pansies have never been offered in this country, I give the originator's description:

These new Pansies are called "**Tufted**," because a plant from a single seed will grow and enlarge into a clump or **tuft** of plants, which will live and bloom year after year, and send out "**runners**" like the Violet, hence the name, **Pansy-Violet**. They are a **hardy perennial** plant, living out all winter, increasing and blooming continuously. They are **sweet scented**, like the Violet. The flowers are very large and of great substance, measuring 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches across. The colors are marvelous and endless in variety. Dark and bright, also delicate shades, zoned, pencilled and mottled in various colors. And added to all this, a hardy perennial violet perfumed **Pansy**, increasing in size and numbers each year. Once planted—always "A thing of beauty, a joy forever."

Packet, 100 seeds, 10c.; 3 packets 25c.



PANSIES.

100 Seeds in a Packet unless otherwise stated.

PANSIES get close to your heart. You can love them like little children. They are so cunning, lifelike and pretty. Clothed in nature's brightest and richest hues.

NORMANDIE These I love best. So many rich colors, such lovely shape. Rich as velvet and bright as Poppies. They come from sunny France. You get 50 kinds and colors.

Packet 10c., 3 for 25c.

IMPERIAL GERMAN The favorite and most popular Pansies raised in Germany. Colors very bright, faultless form. Highly praised by all.

Packet 6c., 2 for 10c.

INTERNATIONAL MIXTURE

These are considered by the man who introduced them to be the **finest**

Pansies in the world, in fact they are composed of all the most famous Pansies grown, collected from France, Germany, England, Belgium and wherever fine Pansies are grown. Some of this seed costs \$30.00 an ounce.

This International Mixture I buy direct from the originator.

Packet 10c., 3 for 25c.

PARISIAN FANCY These are the favorites of the gay Parisians, and you can well imagine they are pretty or they would not suit these people who are such lovers and judges of beauty. Very large, elegantly and beautifully marked. These are a wonderful Pansy.

Packet 6c., 2 for 10c.

ROYAL SHOW These are lauded without stint by many, and they truly make a Royal Show. Colors of Scarlet, Plum and Royal Purple, Blue and Bronze, Marbled, Blotched and Giant Striped.

Packet 10c., 3 for 25c.

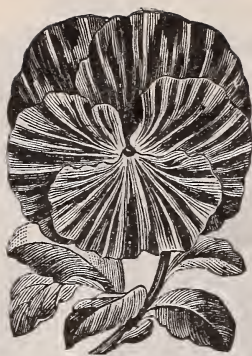
One Packet each of these five kinds, 30c.

One Packet of all these five kinds, mixed together, 8c.

Superfine Scarlet Pansy Mixture.
Packet, 100 seeds, 5c., 1-8 oz, 20c.



Pansy King of the Blacks—
Velvety coal black. 3c.



Pansy "Fancy Striped"—
Beautiful curious stripes. 3c.



Pansy Emperor William
Rich ultramarine blue. 3c.



Pansy Meteor—Is Superbly
marbled and biotched. 5c.



Pansy Snow Queen.—Pure
satin white, yellow eye. 5c.



Pansy Peacock—Is colored
like peacock Feather. 5c.



Fox Glove—Long sprays fine
for bouquets. 100 seeds 3c.



Passion Flower—This love-
ly hardy climber grows
from seed as easy as can
be. Packet 5 cts.



Platycodon Grandiflora—
Lovely blue, white, and
violet flowers all summer.
Lives from year to year.
Pkt. 3 cts.

All my Packets of Pansy Contain 100 Fresh Seed if not otherwise stated.



PETUNIA

Double . . .
. . . Fringed

All Petunias will not come double from the seed. This will produce as many double flowers as any seed sold. All colors, mixed, (40 seeds) 12 cts.

Grandiflora Double.

Very large flowers. Pkt. (40) 10c

Double White Snowball.

Very scarce and rare. 30 seeds 15c

Petunia Snowball is usually sold for 10 cents a plant.

Petunia::: Defiance

or California Giants.

Flowers often 5 in. across. Most beautifully colored, deep throat and strongly veined. Deep red, bordered white, blue, white, and rose. These make a bed of rare beauty. Packet (20 colors) 10 cts.

Petunia ~~~ ~~~ Hybrid

Flowers are large and many fringed. Pkt. (100 seeds) 4 cts.

French Tree PETUNIA.

Grows in Tree form; very striking. Pkt. (100 seeds) 5 cts.





GIANT * PHLOX DRUMMONDI GRANDIFLORA.

For beds or borders of dazzling beauty nothing equals the Phlox. Sown outside, they bloom very soon after planting and until frost. My **Giant Phlox Mixture** contains more than **40 kinds** and **colors** of the best and most improved sorts. Lavender, scarlet, violet, white star, and fringed. Pkt. (100 seeds) 5 cts, $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz. of this mixture, 10 cts.



Phlox Fimbriata.

This beautiful Phlox has fringed and crimped edges. A mixture containing all the named kinds (100 seeds) 5 cts.

PORTULACCA DOUBLE.

A bed of these is a joy all summer, completely cover the ground with their rose like flowers of scarlet, rose, yellow, &c. Grow best in light soil. Pkt. all colors, 4 cts.



PORTULACCA GRANDIFLORA.



STELLA OR STAR PHLOX.

This unique form is very beautiful and odd. All the colors with star-shaped petals. Pkt. (100 seeds) 5c.

PORTULACCA SINGLE.

Flower large and showy. Open wide and bright. All colors, mixed, 8 cts.

POPPIES



FAIRY BLUSH POPPY.

FAIRY BLUSH.

A lovely feathery double with fringed edges. Pure white with the edges dipped in rosy cream. Pkt. 4 cents.



Double Carnation.

Very large double brilliant Poppies. More than fifty colors and kinds. Pkt. 3c.



CARNATION POPPY.

SUPERB MIXTURE

of all kinds of Poppies. A bed of these will bloom much longer than any one kind. Packet 3 cents.



SHIRLEY POPPIES.

ALL

of my Poppy Packets contain over 100 seeds which are guaranteed true to name and color.



FIRE BALL POPPY

Shirley Poppies.

These are marvelous flowers. Petals like shimmery silk. Colors both soft and bright. Satiny-white, marbled with rose; also crimson, scarlets, rose and pink. Trembling, nodding little beauties. Pkt. 4 cents.

Snow Drift.

A large double ball, snow-white. Pkt. 3 cents.

Fire Ball.

A large double scarlet. Very showy. Pkt. 3 cents



SNOW DRIFT POPPY



CHINESE PRIM-ROSE

* PRIMULAS *

These are probably the most beautiful of all house and pot plants. Flowers immense; from intense scarlet to delicate shades of pink and white. The foliage is like a beautiful fern, and the perfume is subtle and pleasant. Sow seed in a pot and water small plants until they get half an inch high, then pot, as they are out of danger. Pkt. (30 prize seed) 7 cts.



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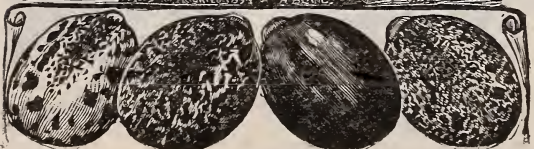
* * PINKS

These pinks are very hardy and intensely fragrant. Bloom quick and easy from seed. Pkt., finest mixed, (50 seeds) 4 cts.



RICINUS ■ ZANZIBARENSIS ■

This immense plant comes from Zanzibar. Is a beauty; enormous glossy leaves. Plant grows 14 feet high by July 1st from seed planted outside in May. Packet (5 seeds) 5 cts.





SALVIA SPLENDENS.
(Large-flowering.)



SCABIOSA (fl. pl.).



SCHIZANTHUS
BUTTERFLY FLOWER.



SALPIGLOSSIS GRANDIFLORA.



PYRETHRUM LITTLE GEM

... SALVIA SPLENDENS ...

Large-flowering Scarlet Sage.

For many years nearly everyone thought they had to buy plants at 10 to 12 cents each from their florist. But now seed is being sold largely instead. By starting early they came easy and quick and you can have all you want with small outlay. And such a fine display they make! The plant is covered with scarlet flowers—many times 200 spikes—until killed by frost. Pkt. 25 seeds, 4 cents.

Scabiosa---Double Snowball.

I think often the name of this plant discourages many people trying it. Certainly it is one of the very best plants we have for cutting, vases, bouquets, or corsage, almost as durable as an everlasting. Beautiful colors and form of flower. Packet 50 seeds, 5 cents.

Double Black, or Mourning Bride—Rich velvety black. Pkt. 40 seeds, 4 cents.

Scabiosa, Double Mixed, in over 20 colors and kind. Pkt. 50 seeds, 2c.

SCHIZANTHUS.

Butterfly, or Orchid Flower.

Very elegant and showy. Flowers very odd, beautiful, and durable—like small orchids, spotted and blotched with crimson, violet and yellow. A beauty. Packet **finest mixed**, 20 colors, 100 seeds, 3 cents.

Salpiglossis Grandiflora.

A very large, strongly marked flower. Free bloomer, long stems, resembles a Petunia with a rich gloss. Colors delicate blue, straw and rose, to richest crimsons and maroon. Packet over 100 seeds, in 20 colors, 4 cents.

Pyrethrum---Little Gem.

One of the most popular foliage plants we have; for edging a bed or walk they are superb. Foliage fern like, golden-yellow. Pkt. 50 seeds, 4c

NOVELTIES AND CREAM OF SWEET PEAS.



DOUBLE MIXED SWEET PEAS.

These have been advertised extensively and sold at very high prices the past two years. My mixture of these is unsurpassed, and I guarantee them equal to any sold. They are composed of 7 named kinds, all of which are very beautiful; no poor colors whatever.

Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 40c.

NAMED SORTS.

DOUBLE APPLE BLOSSOM. Pink. Pkt. 6c., oz. 12c.

DOUBLE BRIDE OF NIAGARA.

A very finely formed sort of exquisite loveliness. **Rose** and **White.** Pkt. 6c., oz. 12c.

DOUBLE BOREATTON. Crimson-purple. Pkt. 6c., oz. 12c.

DOUBLE DUKE OF CLARENCE. Grandiflora hooded. The best of all doubles and much finer than the single variety. **Rosy-claret.** Pkt. 6c., oz. 12c.

DOUBLE SPLENDOR. Grandiflora. Superb rose, shaded with crimson. Pkt. 6c., oz. 12c.

DOUBLE WHITE. Pure snow-white; great substance. Pkt. 6c., oz. 12c.

DOUBLE BUTTERFLY. White, shaded lavender; splendid. Pkt. 6c., oz. 12c.

1 Packet of each of the 7 Named kinds, 25c.

SIX NOVELTIES OF 1897.

(My room in Catalogue is so limited, my descriptions have to be brief.)

AURORA. Flaked orange-salmon: large, expanded standard. Pkt. 30 seeds, 5c.

BRILLIANT. New, bright scarlet; does not burn. Pkt. 30 seeds, 5c.

CREOLE. Pinkish lavender and light lavender. Pkt. 30 seeds, 5c.

GOLDEN GATE. Pinkish-mauve and lavender; upright wings. Pkt., 30 seeds, 5c.

MAID OF HONOR. White, edged with blue. Pkt. 30 seeds, 5c.

NEW COUNTESS. The best lavender. Pkt. 30 seeds, 5c.

1 Packet each of the 6 new kinds, 25c.

CREAM OF THE BEST NEW SWEET PEAS.

ALL GRANDIFLORA TYPE.

AMERICA. New. The best scarlet-striped of all. Pkt. 5c., oz. 20c.

BLANCHE BURPEE. The largest clear white. Pkt. 4c., oz. 10c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 25c.

BLUSHING BEAUTY. Lovely pink blush. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

COUNTESS RADNOR. Extra selected lovely lavender; one of the best and most distinct. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

DUKE OF CLARENCE. Rich rosy claret. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

EMILY ECKFORD. Best and nearest true blue we have. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

EXTRA EARLY BLANCHE FERRY. Wonderful new Pea. 2 weeks earlier than any other. Dwarf, bushy; copious bloomer; bright rose pink and white. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 25c.

FIRE-FLY. Best bright scarlet, no other color compares with it. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 25c.

HER MAJESTY. Rosy-pink. A beauty. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

KATHERINE TRACEY. Shell-pink. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 25c.

LADY PENZANCE. Beautiful; most original red color; standard is apricot, wings a brilliant rose. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

NEW LOTTIE ECKFORD. This is an improved Butterfly, distinct from the old Lottie Eckford; white, delicate shade of Lavender blue; very pretty. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

ROYAL ROBE. Immense flowers of exquisite effect. Rich Pink shading to beautiful blush. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

YELLOW. This is the best Yellow Sweet Pea. Rich primrose. Pkt. 4c., oz. 8c., $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c.

The entire collection of 14 Varieties for 40c.

NOVELTIES AND GENERAL LIST OF SWEET PEAS.



PINK CUPID bears generally three and sometimes four flowers to a stem. The illustration above was accurately engraved from a photograph, *exactly natural size*. The flowers are identical with the tall-growing *Blanche Ferry* and are *always fully equal in size*. Pink and white, 5 inches tall. Pkt. (30 seeds) 6c.

1 pkt. each of the two Cupids and 3 California sorts for 20c.

Sweet Pea, White Cupid.

5 inches high.
Packet 40 seeds, 5c.



New California Sweet Pea.

THE BRIDE. This novelty is a pure white selection from Mrs. Eckford, and is the strongest germinator among all the white-seeded varieties. Grown for the cut flower market of San Francisco in competition with the other high-class whites, like *Blanche Burpee* and *Emily Henderson* it has brought the highest figures over them all, taking first rank among all the whites.

Pkt., 30 seeds, 5c.

CALIFORNIA. This is the best "self-color" in soft pink, of the shade of Daybreak Carnation. Rev. W. T. Hutchins says of it: "It is different from all of our other self-pinks, and a good thing." Pkt., 30 seeds, 5c.

EMILY LYNCH. It is the earliest Sweet Pea in existence, blooming in advance of Extra Early *Blanche Ferry*. This is a large flowered form of Duke of York, but larger and of the improved grandiflora form. Wings buff cream and standards bright rosy pink with primrose tint.

Pkt., 30 seeds, 5c.

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.
Alba Magnifica. Pure white.....	3c.	8c.	15c.
Apple Blossom. Pink blush.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Blanche Ferry. Pink and white.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Butterfly. French grey.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Cardinal. Scarlet crimson.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Countess Radnor. Lavender.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Delight. White, crimson crest.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Emily Henderson. Ivory white.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Fairy Queen. Pink and white.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Indigo King. Maroon and indigo.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Indigo Prince. Indigo blue.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Isa Eckford. Creamy white and rosy pink.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Lottie Eckford. Rose and white.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Mrs. Sankey. Many consider this the best white grown.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Primrose. Yellow cream.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Princess of Wales. Lavender and white.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Queen of the Isle. White and red striped.....	1c.	1c.	1c.
Splendor. Coppery, rich crimson.....	1c.	1c.	1c.

All these varieties are 3c. a pkt., 100 seeds, 8c. an oz., and 1-4 lb. 15c.

Entire collection of 18 Varieties, 40c.

CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH OR GRANDIFLORA MIXED SWEET PEAS.

My strain of these are unsurpassed, the flowers are all of the Grandiflora type. Large, deep, and delicate-colored flowers, which open free and flower persistently. 50 kinds in this mixture.

Pkt., 75 seeds, 6c., oz. 10c., ¼ lb. 20c., lb. 75c.

ECKFORD'S CHAMPION EXHIBITION MIXTURE.

This mixture is composed of some 40 to 50 of the Eckford large flowering exhibition named kinds. Mr. Eckford is the well known King of Sweet Peas. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c., oz. 10c., ¼ lb. 35c., lb. 85c.

Superfine Mixture. Pkt., 40 seeds, 3c., oz. 8c., ¼ lb. 15c., lb. 40c.

LATHYRUS (PERENNIAL PEAS).

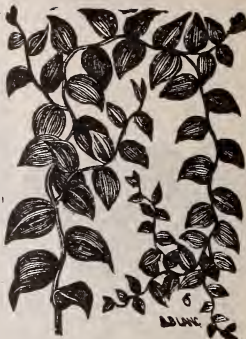
White, Clusters of the purest flowers, 10c. **Purple,** Pkt. 5c. **Mixed,** purple and white, 5c.



STATICE SUWAROWI.

STATICE SUWAROWI Is but little known as it is a new plant. Spikes of rosy pink and crimson, 18 inches long, grows easy and blooms in 2 months. A single plant is very ornamental. Pkt. (100 seeds) 5 cts.

SMILAX. Fashion's favorite. How much of this is used on all occasions. Plant in spring in pot or box, and by fall you have lovely plants for winter and fall. Pkt. (40 seeds) 5c.



SMILAX.

New Imperial Stocks

These are the finest of all Stocks, flowers large, often 2 inches across, colors from delicate to deep reds, crimson, white, blue, and yellow. For pots inside or in beds they are equally good. Pkt. finest, mixed, 20 colors, (50 seeds) 5 cts.



NEW IMPERIAL STOCKS.

SNOWFLAKE STOCKS.

The largest and purest white of all the stocks. Pkt. (30 seeds) 5 cts.

Virginia Stocks

Cheiranthus Maritimus

Very pretty free flowering plants for baskets or edgings, succeed in any soil. Pkt. 3 cents.

Cultural Instructions.

For a succession, sow in boxes or pots in the house, in March; transplant into boxes of good rich soil. Remove to the garden in June, at which time, sow seeds where they are to grow.



SABBATIA—Lovely bushy little plant with big flowers. Pkt. 3 cts



SUNFLOWER—Fine mixture, 10 kinds. Pkt. 3 cts. Mammoth Russian—Pkt. 3c



SWEET WILLIAM—One of my favorites. Pkt. (100 seeds), double and single 3c



Tropæolum Lobbianum

Trailing Nasturtiums.

This elegant climber is growing in favor each year. On trellises, over doors and porch, or trailing over the ground, they are equally lovely. Large bright flowers among the deep green foliage make a lovely sight. Pkt. 20 seeds, 5 cents; oz. 15 cts.



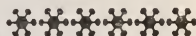
TROPÆOLUM
LOBBIANUM.

TORENIA.



THUNBERGIA

A very lovely and useful plant. Semi-trailing, and good for borders, beds, vases, and baskets; one of our favorite stand-bys. Packet 20 seeds, 3 cents.



TORENIA.

A very popular annual with large and showy blue flowers. Packet 100 seeds, 3c.

White Wings.

Very large, pure white flowers. Packet 100 seeds, 4 cents.



THUNBERGIA.



WHITLAVIA.



DOUBLE WALLFLOWER.

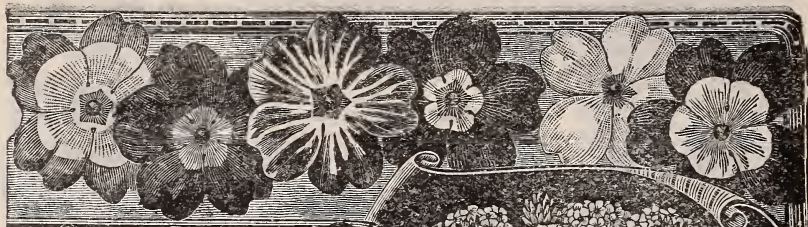


VIOLET, BLUE.

VIOLET, BLUE (Fidelity). This is the flower the French love so well. Violets, violets, violets everywhere, and everybody wears and has them in Paris. Packet 100 seeds, 4 cents.

WALLFLOWER, Double. A favorite German darling. Grown for pots and beds outside and inside, winter and summer. Sow seed in boxes or pots; pick out the small plants when $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch high. Pkt. 50 seeds, all colors, 4c.

WHITLAVIA. A popular flower that grows somewhat like a Foxglove, only more trumpet-shaped. Deep blue, light throat. Packet 50 seeds, 3 cents.



VERBENA

MAMMOTH VERBENA—These flowers are often as large as a 25-cent piece, of bright and striking colors. Argus-eyed, striped and zoned. These plants flower best and grow more healthy from seed. Start in boxes and transplant early, and you will have a grand show. Pkt. (50 seeds) 6 cts.

VERBENA HIBRIDA, Mixed—Seed from 20 named kinds; very bright colors. Pkt. (50 seeds) 5c. $\frac{1}{8}$ -oz of **Hybrida Mixed**, 15 cts.

SCARLET VERBENA—Pkt. 5c

WHITE VERBENA—Pkt. 5 cts



MAMMOTH VERBENA.



LEMON VERBENA.

This, everybody's favorite, is very scarce and high. Leaves so fragrant and refreshing. Grows easy from seed and lives from year to year. My seed is fresh and pure. Pkt. (50 seeds) 6 cts.



VERBENA ODORATA.

This is little known. Long, white heads, covered with flowers all the season. Delicious soft fragrance. Pkt. (50 seeds) 5 cts.

ZINNIAS



MAMMOTH ZINNIAS.

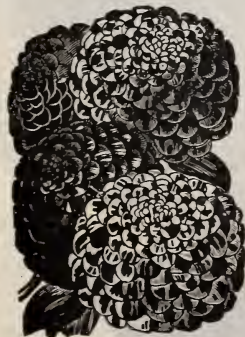
MAMMOTH ZINNIAS—They will grow easy and bloom all summer if it is wet or dry. Flowers large and bright and plant stately. These Mammoth Zinnias are wonders. Flowers very large and colors dazzling. Pkt. 50 seeds, 7 cents.

LARGE DOUBLE MIXED—Pkt. 3 cents.

ZINNIA, ZEBRA or CARNATION—Very curiously marked; many colors on one flower. Very bright and showy. Pkt. 50 seeds, 5 cents.

ZINNIA, POMPON—A perfect little plant and perfectly-formed flowers in many colors. Pkt. 4 cents.

FAIRY ZINNIAS—Named so because the plant is small and flowers such perfect little beauties. Pkt. 6 cents.



ZINNIA ZEBRA,—CARNATION.



ZINNIA, POMPON.



FAIRY ZINNIAS.



ST. BRIGID, or POPPY, ANEMONE.

Nothing could be more glorious than a bed of these new Irish Poppies when in flower. One might well compare it to a kaleidoscope picture, glistening with and reflecting thousands of bright colors, or to some bright oriental carpet whereon the artist has exercised his ingenuity to blend pleasing and effective colors. Indeed, the flowers produced by this new strain show all the colors of the rainbow, and many more; for even black and white are found among them, as well as shades of pink, rose, crimson, fiery scarlet, carmine, maroon, tints of lilac, lavender, blue, purple, even green. Many flowers are curiously mottled, striped, edged, ringed and shaded with the various tints described above, the effect produced being almost bewildering. They are frequently 5 to 6 inches across; some single, but most double, with plain, scalloped or fringed edges.

Sown early and planted in the garden in rich soil, they will bloom profusely and frequently until well after frosts have cut down other tender plants; and, being perfectly hardy, they cutting they are will bloom again the next season in greater profusion than ever. For for over a week.

Pkt. 50 seeds,
10c.; 3 for 25c.

CENTROSEMA

GRANDIFLORA.

Seed sown in April, even in the poorest soil, will thrive from early June until cut down by frost, and produce in the greatest profusion large clusters of inverted pea-shaped flowers, delightfully fragrant, one and a half to two and a half inches in diameter, and ranging in color from rosy-violet to reddish purple, with bright feathered markings through the center. It is well adapted for every purpose desired for a climber, running 6 to 8 feet in one season.

As the seed germinates slowly, we advise soaking it in warm water over night before planting.

Per pkt. 25 seeds, 5c.;
½ oz., 15c.

Centrosema "White Lady." A new variety. The flowers are purest snow-white. It is one of the most beautiful vines in cultivation. Pkt., 10c.

Centrosema "Feathered Gem." This also is new. The flowers are very large, deep blue with a feathered border of white around each flower.

Pkt., 10c.



THE THREE CENTROSEMAS.



ISOTOMA LONGIFOLIA.

This new plant grows into a pyramidal bush, covered with beautiful star-shaped large white flowers. Pkt. 10c., 3 for 25c.



New Celosia "Ostrich Feather."

This new Celosia has very large orange and crimson plumes, exquisitely curved and curled. Grows 3 feet high, of handsome form, and the numerous in-sive plumes wing gracefully above the foliage make it a most effective ornamental plant for either pot or outdoor culture. Crimson and orange mixed. Pkt. 50 seeds, 5c., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz., 15c.

This is the Queen of all Cockscorns. The plumes are rich and magnificent. Try it by all means.



CENTAUREA MARGUERITE.

A very handsome plant, large, pure white flowers of the sweetest fragrance. Produced on long, stiff stems, are most admirably adapted for bouquets, vases, etc.; flowers keep for a week after being cut, Pkt. 40 seeds, 7c. Novelty.



New Giant Flowered Sweet William

The single flowers are often the size of a 25-cent piece, forming an enormous truss of very brilliant and varied flowers, extra fine.

Pkt. 100 seeds, 5c., 3 for 12c.

Sweet William. A very fine mixture of bright and many colors. Pkt. 100 seeds, 3c.; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz., 10c.

New Double Giant Sweet William.

The single florets often measure one inch in diameter, producing enormous umbels on stiff stems in many rich shades of color.

Pkt. 100 seeds, 6c., 3 for 15c.
1 pkt. of each of the 3 kinds, 12c.

Centaurea Marguerite keeps when cut almost like an Everlasting.



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THE TRUE "ROSA MULTIFLORA NANA PERPETUA."

The only Rose that will bloom in 2 months from seed. It is grown by careful and scientific cultivation, expressly for seed, by a specialist in France. It is a new Dwarf, Hardy, Hybrid, Perpetual, Ever-Blooming Rose. It is not the common "Multiflora" or "Polyantha" Rose generally sold for "Baby" or "Fairy" Roses, which is far inferior both in plant and flower and will not bloom so early and can be sold a great deal cheaper. The true Fairy Rose is hardy and increases in beauty and size of flower each year.

To insure the seed reaching you in good condition I send it unshelled, in the original pips. **3 pips, about 20 seeds, for 10c.**

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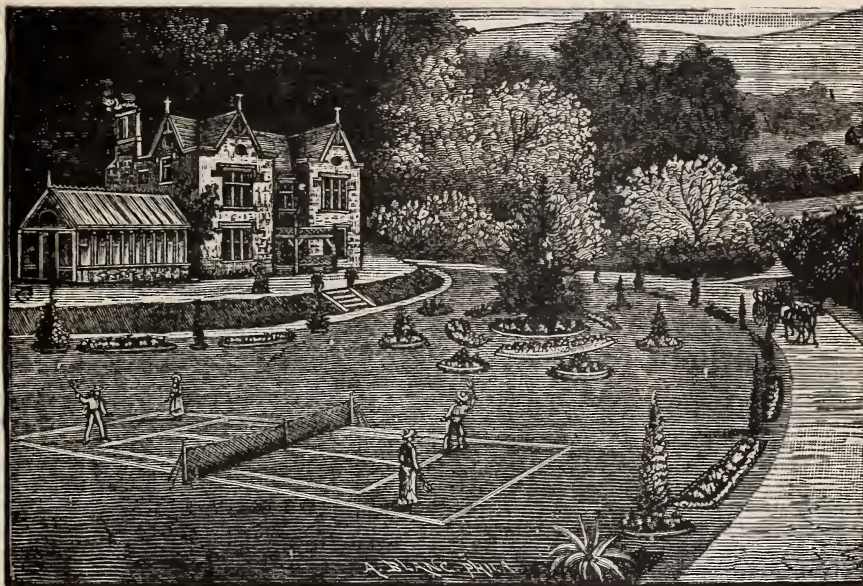


IRIS KAEMPFERI.

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These magnificent Iris are among the most beautiful of our summer flowering plants and have already become great favorites. They commence flowering early in July and continue in bloom for five or six weeks. Many of these flowers measure from ten to twelve inches in diameter and almost rival the orchids in their rich colorings and markings. My collection embraces the cream of the hundreds of varieties cultivated by the Japanese. The Iris succeeds in almost any soil and under any conditions. Perfectly hardy, it is unsurpassed for house or garden decoration. Fine plants, all colors mixed, including many of the finest named sorts, **10c.** each, **\$1.00** per doz. by mail.

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No seed ever sown can surpass this well-tried mixture. The seed is selected and mixed to get the quickest, greenest, and thickest sod possible. I put plenty of perennial grasses in this to stand for years and through the longest droughts. A deep velvety green is soon obtained by sowing this seed.

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This is a special mixture of the finest grasses that will stand wear and tear and retain its rich velvety green appearance.

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The most difficult Seeds come up readily in "JADOO,"

"JADOO" Liquid...

**Both Meat and Drink
to
...Plants...**

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15. Plants do not require repotting more than half as often, and pots are two sizes smaller, saving much space. As "JADOO" Fibre only gradually gives off the chemical properties with which it is impregnated, it would really take years to exhaust it with most plants.

Price of "JADOO" Fibre, by Ft. or Express at buyers' expense.

A bag of about 3¼ bus., 120 lbs.	\$3 00
25 lbs. in box.	1 10
10 "	50
5 "	30
Pkt. "Jadoo," 3 oz.	by mail, 10
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Concentrated "JADOO" Liquid

is simply invaluable in Pot Culture, and it is the cheapest Fertilizer sold. Both meat and drink to plants. Revives drooping plants, strengthens the weak and nourishes the strong; above all, it increases the size, causes greater profusion of bloom, and heightens the colors of all flowers and plants. Can be used on flowers and plants that are grown in earth or "JADOO" Fibre.

Price of "JADOO" Liquid, by Ft. or Express at buyers' expense.

10 gallons in jacketed can	\$7 50
5 " " " "	3 75
2 " " " "	1 50
Pint bottle	2
2 dozen pints in one case	3 50

Mix with the Jadoo Liquid before using, **48 parts water to one part liquid.**

This will not only be found useful for plants grown in "JADOO" Fibre, but also for watering plants in earth. It is the **cheapest Fertilizer** that can be bought.

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Six Choice Roses Free.

These are of the most popular varieties grown, and are guaranteed to give satisfaction. This collection of six Roses is fully described below.

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The plants we send out would cost at least ten cents each if bought in the usual way.

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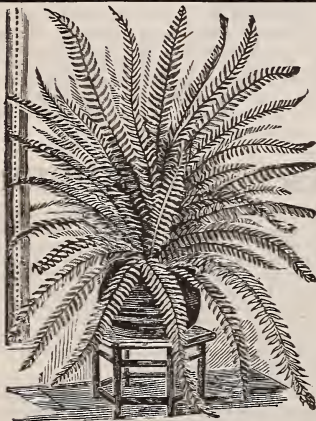
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The most beautiful basket plant ever grown.

Record of one plant.—Planted in an ordinary nail keg in May, was in flower all the time till August, when it had 590 clusters of flowers, continued in full flower (removed to a greenhouse in October) to December, when 350 clusters were counted. At this time every young branch was cut off to propagate, but on January 14th it had 100 beautiful new clusters. The plant has a most graceful drooping habit, grows rapidly, and blooms persistently winter and summer, producing a cluster of flowers at each leaf. Color, most delicate, clear, brilliant, rosy lilac; foliage, bright dark green. Does equally well in winter or summer. 15c. each, 2 for 25c.

THE ABOVE 4 NEW PLANTS AND DOUBLE NEW LIFE GERANIUM FOR 50c.

FILIFERA PALM

(Washingtonia Filifera.)

This plant needs no petting or skill to grow. It flourishes with any treatment in any location in the house, porch or outside. The leaves are fan-shaped, beautifully cut and draped with a silk-like filament. This is also the easiest palm to grow from seed we have, no trouble whatever, and you soon have a magnificent plant. Seed sure to grow.

Packet 10 seeds, 6 cents.

Strong Plants, 15 cts. each, 2 for 25 cts.



FILIFERA PALM.



COCOS WEDDELIANA

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•• The Most Costly and Aristocratic of all Palms. ••

This exquisite plant is used for the most refined occasions and purposes. Used for centers in the most elaborate floral designs. For table, mantel and jardinières, as well as for the window and hall. Grows easy and never gets out of shape or color. Never offered so cheap.

Nice Plants, 8 to 10 inches high, 30 cts.

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Most beautiful, delicate feathery foliage and golden yellow stems, spotted with red. One of the best of house palms.

Plants, 20 cts. each, 3 for 50 cts., by mail.

50-cent and \$1.00 plants by express.



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Exceedingly attractive little foliage plants for high-class decoration indoors or out. The foliage is a picture—hundreds of colors are represented; yellow, brown, pink, scarlet, green, and hundreds of variegations. Many different forms of leaves. First-class window plant.

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LATANIA BORBONICA.

GREVILLEA ROBUSTA.

Known as Australian Silk Oak (but is not a true Oak). A splendid ferny-leaved pot plant, as decorative as a palm, as hardy and easily managed as a geranium, and as graceful as a fern. The dust, heat and gas of living rooms has no visible effect on it, and everybody should grow it. The seed grows rapidly and soon makes a lovely little plant.

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A UNIQUE RACE OF NEW HARDY ROSES

(Hybrids of the Japanese Wichuriana).

10 cts. each, 3 for 25 cts., postpaid.
Sweet-scented, nearly evergreen and everblooming;
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MANDA'S TRIUMPH (Double White Memorial Rose).

Flowers strongly sweet scented, borne in clusters of from 12 to 18 flowers, covering the glossy green foliage from ground to tip, with lovely double white flowers.

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Same free-blooming habit as the double white. The large double-pink flowers are very fragrant.

SOUTH ORANGE PERFECTION.

The flowers are soft bluish, changing to white, and very double. Blooms in profusion.

PINK ROAMER. This beautiful variety has the exquisite fragrance of the Sweet Brier. Flowers very large; bright, rich pink, with a large silvery white center, set off with showy, orange-red stamens; very artistic. A charming rose.

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This trailing species creeps and climbs like ivy. The large flowers are single white, with golden stamens, and very sweet scented. The leaves are nearly evergreen, dark and glossy. Very desirable rose.

1 each of the 6 kinds on this page, 50 cts.



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THE GREATEST BEDDING ROSES IN CULTIVATION.

They bloom continuously through the entire Summer.

Careful trials put it beyond the least question of doubt that these famous roses stand at the top of the list as the best Bedding Roses. The most admired ornamentation on our grounds the past season was a bed of these Roses. The large handsome flowers were produced in such amazing numbers as to make the bed a solid sheet of bloom. Plant a bed of these Roses and you will never have cause to regret it.

NEW YELLOW SOUPERT "MOSELLA."

This lovely new addition to the Soupert family we imported from Germany last season. It has the genuine dwarf-growing, free-flowering Soupert habit; produces beautiful clusters of very double, ball-shaped flowers which open like a Camellia. The buds are also very pretty. The color is a white tint on beautiful light yellow ground. A great addition to our Summer Bedding Roses.

Each, 15 cents; 2 for 25 cents.

CLOTILDE SOUPERT.

This now famous Pot and Bedding Rose (*Polyantha Tea*) was introduced in America in 1889. It is a cross of the free-blooming *Polyantha* Rose and a large flowered Tea, thus giving it, with all the free-blooming qualities of the former, the strongest growth of the Tea class. Its charming coloring, shading from pearly white to purest rose, double blossoms, delightful fragrance, wonderful vigor and freedom of bloom, combine to make it a most beautiful Rose.

Each, 15 cents; 2 for 25 cents.

"PINK SOUPERT."

We find this bright, new Rose a very free-flowering variety, much resembling *Hermosa*, but more double and flowering more freely; it shows the *Polyantha* blood in the full cluster of bloom, and it makes a handsome contrast, bedded or grown with the C. Soupert. The habit of the plant is almost identical with the C. Soupert, a rapid grower and quick to bloom.

Each, 15 cents; 2 for 25 cents.

1 each of the 3 kinds, 30 cents.



NEW DOUBLE GOLDEN RUDBECKIA

Gardening, the most valuable of all horticultural journals, speaks of this new plant as follows: "We hail it with delight, as being one of the most distinct and beautiful hardy perennials introduced for years." It will give you armfuls of large, very double golden yellow flowers, elegantly set off with their own foliage.

Plants, 15c. each, 2 for 25c.; 6 for 50c.



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Seed. This violet produces very large, strong seeds, which grow into blooming plants by fall. Pkt. 10c. each, 3 for 25c.

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THE NEW CRIMSON SPIREA.

ANTHONY WATERER is of Japanese origin.

When it is scarcely 3 inches high it begins to bloom, and thereafter is seldom out of flower. As a house plant nothing can equal it. In the garden it will make a plant 3 feet high and wide, and will be covered with heads, 1 foot across, of brilliant crimson flowers.

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The Blue Spirea has created a sensation wherever grown. Beautiful lilac flowers until the month of December. This is *extra good*.

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White Spirea, Van Houtte (Bridal Wreath) drooping branches literally covered with white flowers. A beautiful plant indeed.

15c. each, 3 for 30c., 6 for 50c.

1 Crimson Spirea, 1 Blue Spirea, 1 White Spirea, 1 Golden Rudbeckia for 40 cts.



SWAINSONIA WHITE.

This plant has been grown extensively the last four or five years by the florists as a cut flower, in fact nothing is more beautiful than the graceful sprays loaded from tip to base with large, pure, white waxy, sweet-pea-like flowers, ensconced among the beautiful green acacia-like foliage. The plant is easy to grow, begins to flower when very small, and is in flower nearly the year around, for winter or summer, inside or out it is at home. Grows quick from seed. Pkt. of seed, 10c. Plants, 15c. each; 2 for 25c.

Swainsonia Dark Red.

New; identical to the white, only flowers are dark red.

Pkt. Seed, 10c. Plants 15c. each; 2 for 25c.



Bougainvillea Sanderiana.

One of the very best of the new plants.

We have grown this most useful flowering plant in a greenhouse, where it has continued flowering for seven months, small and large plants alike being covered with blossoms from May until December. It produces as freely as a fuchsia, its dazzling, rosy crimson flowers lasting long in perfection, even if grown in smallest pots, under all conditions, in amazing profusion. Awarded first-class certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society, and only recently introduced at \$2.00 each. It cannot fail to give you satisfaction. 25c. each; 2 for 40c.



New Dwarf Justicia Velutina

An elegant new plant for pot culture and bedding, which we are sure our friends will like to have; begins to blossom when only a few inches high, and continues bearing its beautiful feathery plumes of lovely pink flowers the whole season, and when taken indoors will bloom all winter too; quite scarce as yet. 15c. each; 2 for 25c.

New Justicia Flava

A new variety with pure yellow plumes. The two plants make a fine contrast. 20c. each; 3 for 50c.

Bougainvillea Sanderiana is a plant of great merit.



**AGERATUM
PRINCESS PAULINE.**

A novel variety of dwarf, compact habit, rarely exceeding 5 inches in height. Its peculiarity consists of both blue and white being combined in the same flower, the center of the flower being white, encircled by a broad distinct zone of baby-blue. A particularly attractive and pretty plant, easily grown and a most profuse and continuous bloomer. The most distinct new bedding plants of the year.

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ANTIGONON LEPTOPUS.

Although introduced some fifteen years ago, this most beautiful vine is only just beginning to be appreciated, but it is now so highly thought of that some seedsmen are even illustrating it in colors. Few plants, indeed, are more delightful when in bloom - when it might almost be compared to a scarlet-flowering Wistaria. When thoroughly established, the roots send forth an abundance of bright green foliage, which is almost hidden by the long, dense wreaths of bright carmine flowers, lasting in beauty and perfection for weeks and months, a sight almost impossible to surpass. For porches, verandas, fences or trellises; for clambering over rocks or old trees, it will prove a grand acquisition. The roots are easily raised from seed and are quite hardy, with slight protection.

Roots that will bloom, 15c. each, 2 for 25c.; Seed, 8c., postpaid.



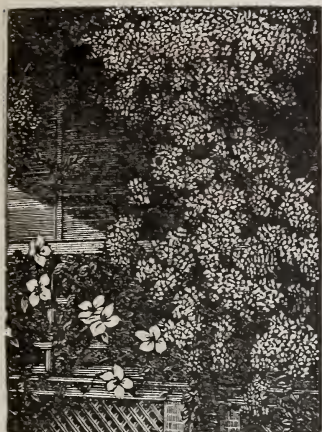
PINE-APPLE SALVIA.

A new Salvia, with crimson magenta flowers and highly perfumed foliage, with marked pungent pine apple odor. A beautiful plant and great curiosity.

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Scarlet Salvia. Extra fine strain. Plants 8c. each; doz. 50c. Seed 4c.





CLEMATIS PANICULATA.

(New Sweet-Scented Japan Clematis.)

PANICULATA. One of the most beautiful of our hardy fall blooming vines. The flowers are pure white, very fragrant, borne in large clusters fairly covering the plant, so that it is a mass of fleecy white.

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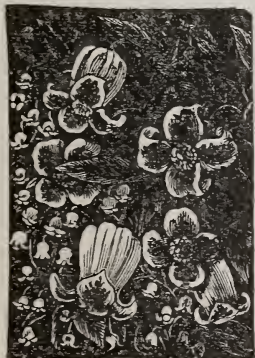
GRAEOLENS. A yellow-flowered variety, very pretty. 15c. each; 2 for 25c.

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A BOWER OF CLEMATIS.

Bargains in New and Large Flowering Clematis.



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NEW RED CLEMATIS. MADAME EDOURDE ANDRE

An entirely distinct and most novel variety, and the nearest approach to a bright red ever sent out. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower, being a hybrid of the popular Jackmanii which it resembles in freedom of bloom, strong, vigorous growth and shape and size of flower, but is of a distinct carmine-red color of a most pleasing shade, entirely different from all other varieties.

Price, 25c. each; 2 for 40c.

NEW PINK CLEMATIS.

MME. BARON VELLARD.

A unique shade in Clematis, a pretty lavender pink, a fine contrast to the stronger-colored sorts.

Price, 25c. each; 2 for 40c.

DUCHESSE OF EDINBURGH.

The best of the double pure white, deliciously fragrant. Highly praised.

Price, 25c., 2 for 40c.



CLEMATIS COCCINEA

HENRYI. Fine, large, creamy white flowers. A strong grower and very hardy, one of the best of the white varieties; a perpetual bloomer.

Price, 25c., 2 for 40c.

JACKMANII. The flowers, when fully expanded, are from four to six inches in diameter; intense violet purple, with a rich velvety appearance, distinctly veined. It flowers continually from July until cut off by frosts. Price, 25c., 2 for 40c.

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All these nine finest Clematis
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"Carmine Beauty."

First to offer this new Plant.

Medals awarded in Belgium and France.

300 flowers on one plant.



CARMINE BEAUTY. (Ruellia Makoyana.)

M. Edouarde Andre, one of the greatest horticulturists of France, and perhaps of the world, says of this plant as follows:

"It forms a graceful, branching subject, one of the principal attractions of which is a beautiful **velvety foliage** with the upper surface of a rich olive green, shading to purple, relieved with prominent silvery white midrib and veins. The under side, however, is a bright purplish wine color.

"This precious acquisition is already in great favor with its lucky possessors. It is, indeed, one of the most brilliant flowering plants known, specimens having been shown measuring 30 inches across and carrying more than 300 flowers open at one time. These are of large size and of a bright carmine red; and not only do they appear in the spring, but also most abundantly in the autumn. It is an elegant plant for gardeniers also, and can therefore be highly recommended, especially since it is of the easiest management."

To such high recommendation I scarcely need add a word. Grown indoors in a shady place, the colors of its leaves and flowers are even brighter than in the open ground. It begins to bloom when only in 2 inch pots, and may almost be said to flower forever afterwards. At the recent grand international exhibition at Ghent it received many favorable comments. I am glad to be the first to offer it in this country.

Price, immediate delivery, 15c. each. 2 for 25c.

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